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**Table 1. Historical Highlights: 1997 and Earlier Census Years**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	1997	1992	1987	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964
Farms ..... number..	34 799	35 204	36 556	36 352	36 109	32 466	35 586	40 542
Land in farms ..... acres..	10 454 217	10 766 077	11 194 090	12 814 216	13 016 288	13 199 365	14 031 998	15 411 181
Average size of farm ..... acres..	300	306	306	353	360	407	394	380
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :								
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	619 265	543 830	552 586	407 118	278 479	139 818	109 053
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	2 037	1 790	1 576	1 114	685	355	286
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> . \$1,000..	1 421 654	1 414 554	1 243 530	1 084 678	888 887	523 759	297 710	(NA)
Average per farm ..... dollars..	40 869	40 898	34 799	30 895	25 624	19 394	9 664	(NA)
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	7 394	7 664	7 300	6 790	5 912	4 427	3 921	6 455
10 to 49 acres .....	12 750	12 692	13 346	12 981	12 186	10 940	12 413	14 479
50 to 179 acres .....	7 932	7 738	8 379	8 711	9 438	8 996	10 232	10 557
180 to 499 acres .....	3 687	4 011	4 255	4 409	4 881	4 610	5 168	5 299
500 to 999 acres .....	1 390	1 451	1 598	1 660	1 853	1 689	1 869	1 781
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	802	776	789	828	851	798	921	875
2,000 acres or more .....	844	872	889	973	988	1 006	1 062	1 096
Total cropland ..... farms..	27 141	28 702	29 386	30 565	31 548	28 658	30 921	35 478
acres..	3 639 850	3 841 505	3 790 599	4 093 583	4 298 952	3 721 831	3 774 119	3 580 644
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	21 017	22 556	22 677	24 396	26 212	23 620	25 139	32 425
acres..	2 435 702	2 400 704	2 240 831	2 643 147	2 705 674	2 304 043	2 234 036	2 203 676
Irrigated land ..... farms..	12 673	13 500	11 981	10 550	10 358	7 749	7 373	8 129
acres..	1 862 404	1 782 680	1 622 750	1 585 080	1 979 814	1 558 735	1 365 206	1 217 192
Market value of agricultural products sold <sup>2</sup> ..... \$1,000..	6 004 554	5 266 033	4 351 383	3 522 103	3 025 633	1 898 658	1 132 074	954 047
Average per farm ..... dollars..	172 550	149 586	119 033	96 889	83 792	58 481	31 812	23 532
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000..	4 817 261	4 197 420	3 317 823	2 518 959	2 167 111	1 298 800	731 733	723 584
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000..	1 187 292	1 068 613	1 033 560	1 003 144	858 522	588 771	395 242	225 227
Farms by value of sales <sup>3</sup> :								
Less than \$2,500 .....	11 530	11 790	12 551	12 287	10 267	12 372	16 708	22 768
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	4 405	4 318	4 868	4 824	5 062	3 867	4 310	4 329
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4 122	4 151	4 470	4 449	4 865	4 123	4 537	4 051
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4 572	4 674	4 765	4 797	5 723	9 104	8 002	7 744
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	2 805	2 901	2 833	2 934	3 332	2 598		
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2 188	2 262	2 273	2 354	2 656	2 259	1 618	
\$100,000 to \$499,999 .....	3 249	3 443	3 341	3 399	3 201	699	369	1 611
\$500,000 or more .....	1 928	1 665	1 455	1 270	1 010			
Farms by type of organization:								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	27 173	27 243	28 943	29 556	29 480	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Partnership .....	2 716	3 233	3 289	3 195	3 642	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corporation .....	4 516	4 325	3 961	3 255	2 656	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	394	403	363	346	331	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Operators by days worked off farm <sup>4</sup> :								
None .....	14 054	14 150	13 494	12 617	13 438	9 079	(NA)	(NA)
Any .....	18 337	18 791	21 196	21 034	21 129	15 989	21 241	20 659
200 days or more .....	13 152	13 330	15 349	15 536	15 319	11 946	15 425	15 157
Operators by principal occupation <sup>4</sup> :								
Farming .....	15 782	16 557	15 821	15 610	15 913	13 496	(NA)	(NA)
Other .....	19 017	18 647	20 735	20 742	20 196	16 741	(NA)	(NA)
Average age of operator <sup>4</sup> ....years..	56.5	55.3	53.7	52.5	51.6	52.8	52.4	53.6
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... \$1,000..	4 384 423	4 082 659	3 200 405	(NA)	(NA)	1 552 211	997 989	(NA)
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :								
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... \$1,000..	145 770	131 497	148 405	165 018	153 375	103 448	88 609	40 236
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... \$1,000..	446 861	382 945	336 690	349 630	329 686	279 082	133 610	89 765
Commercial fertilizer <sup>5</sup> ..... \$1,000..	347 559	283 424	209 617	217 332	174 996	153 412	96 920	84 571
Petroleum products ..... \$1,000..	131 636	128 168	104 591	135 063	80 953	46 714	30 508	26 861
Hired farm labor ..... \$1,000..	925 607	937 571	721 540	480 444	388 967	264 450	173 487	155 954
Interest <sup>6</sup> ..... \$1,000..	237 536	219 234	191 913	198 515	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Agricultural chemicals <sup>5</sup> ..... \$1,000..	350 556	320 675	227 063	165 343	107 621	68 396	47 865	(NA)
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory .....	15 849	15 522	17 321	17 822	16 501	16 474	16 628	19 071
farms..	1 808 900	1 783 968	1 879 124	2 178 552	2 128 018	2 367 108	1 983 648	1 822 007
Beef cows number..	13 600	13 423	14 672	14 839	14 070	12 951	(NA)	15 114
Milk cows number..	1 003 072	962 527	995 250	1 098 152	1 111 594	1 179 789	968 187	870 686
farms..	666	877	1 073	1 385	1 444	1 948	2 226	4 856
number..	159 614	171 675	176 993	194 550	183 958	198 732	182 493	176 289
Cattle and calves sold .....	14 600	14 127	16 071	16 075	15 682	15 423	15 003	14 718
farms..	869 219	897 455	1 025 178	1 108 300	1 201 067	966 002	1 047 993	807 017
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	1 431	1 926	2 487	3 602	5 160	3 962	5 662	8 716
farms..	50 309	114 899	156 137	203 231	323 349	196 283	282 795	298 103
Hogs and pigs sold .....	971	1 551	2 103	3 105	4 730	3 563	5 263	6 331
farms..	96 512	200 375	266 652	328 150	465 063	310 136	397 200	360 173
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) <sup>7</sup> .....	1 203	1 454	2 275	2 891	3 038	3 151	3 644	8 915
farms..	12 605 047	10 802 573	12 964 760	15 374 588	14 883 098	14 401 528	16 118 240	8 565 985
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	321	363	402	433	419	398	335	189
farms..	105 967 210	97 854 566	93 224 832	76 456 724	64 899 236	47 448 607	33 079 286	9 910 503

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 1. Historical Highlights: 1997 and Earlier Census Years—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	1997	1992	1987	1982	1978	1974	1969	1964
<b>Selected crops harvested:</b>								
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	1 548	2 088	2 987	4 923	5 613	5 920
	acres..	69 623	86 407	95 874	190 254	295 790	296 893	298 669
bushels..		5 440 956	6 377 801	6 628 740	12 559 553	15 207 531	14 015 112	11 105 147
Soybeans for beans.....	farms..	404	415	708	2 091	2 527	1 609	1 139
	acres..	41 021	49 072	89 938	334 401	367 936	217 439	153 464
bushels..		1 025 521	1 523 227	2 257 392	8 529 087	7 928 276	5 522 668	3 577 841
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	139	138	123	153	(NA)	(NA)
	acres..	421 421	431 677	403 014	343 680	336 493	(NA)	(NA)
	tons..	15 718 897	16 151 380	13 586 040	10 359 951	10 316 794	(NA)	(NA)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) <sup>8</sup> .....	farms..	1 500	1 988	2 053	2 455	2 928	2 284	2 591
	acres..	250 562	299 867	311 659	283 780	343 098	215 418	273 232
Land in orchards.....	farms..	9 379	10 258	9 965	11 214	12 011	11 079	13 187
	acres..	981 910	914 642	762 068	938 527	932 495	912 079	973 549
								924 750

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1974 and prior years include the value of forest products sold.

<sup>3</sup>Data for 1982 and prior years exclude abnormal farms.

<sup>4</sup>Data for 1974 apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorship) and partnerships.

<sup>5</sup>Data for 1964 to 1982 do not include cost of custom applications; data for agricultural chemicals include the cost of lime for 1969 to 1978.

<sup>6</sup>Data for 1982 do not include imputation for item nonresponse.

<sup>7</sup>Data for 1969 to 1992 are for chickens 3 months old or older inventory; data for 1964 are for chickens 4 months old or older.

<sup>8</sup>Data for 1974 were from land area used.

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Direct Sales: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item		1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	34 799	100.0	35 204	36 556
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	6 004 554	100.0	5 266 033	4 351 383
	dollars..	172 550	(X)	149 586	119 033
Value of sales:					
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	farms..	6 759	19.4	7 180	6 881
	\$1,000..	1 486	(Z)	1 505	1 762
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	farms..	4 771	13.7	4 610	5 670
	\$1,000..	7 849	.1	7 610	9 250
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	4 405	12.7	4 318	4 868
	\$1,000..	15 592	.3	15 325	17 290
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	4 122	11.8	4 151	4 470
	\$1,000..	28 972	.5	29 365	31 325
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	farms..	3 560	10.2	3 562	3 676
	\$1,000..	50 037	.8	49 807	51 403
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms..	1 012	2.9	1 112	1 089
	\$1,000..	22 268	.4	24 390	24 013
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	farms..	1 958	5.6	2 065	1 955
	\$1,000..	60 997	1.0	64 790	61 747
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	847	2.4	836	878
	\$1,000..	37 386	.6	36 895	38 560
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	farms..	2 188	6.3	2 262	2 273
	\$1,000..	154 221	2.6	159 415	159 944
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	farms..	2 188	6.3	2 272	2 202
	\$1,000..	342 705	5.7	354 750	346 377
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	farms..	1 061	3.0	1 171	1 139
	\$1,000..	370 257	6.2	409 113	395 446
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	farms..	837	2.4	793	699
	\$1,000..	580 608	9.7	557 090	477 357
\$1,000,000 or more .....	farms..	1 091	3.1	872	756
	\$1,000..	4 332 177	72.1	3 555 978	2 736 909
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	farms..	657	1.9	507	(NA)
	\$1,000..	979 657	16.3	784 448	(NA)
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	farms..	232	.7	205	(NA)
	\$1,000..	799 913	13.3	704 100	(NA)
\$5,000,000 or more .....	farms..	202	.6	160	(NA)
	\$1,000..	2 552 608	42.5	2 067 430	(NA)
Sales by commodity or commodity group:					
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	16 910	48.6	17 582	17 714
	\$1,000..	4 817 261	80.2	4 197 420	3 317 823
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	3.4	1 283	1 824
	\$1,000..	27 613	.5	30 099	29 945
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	2.6	946	1 137
	\$1,000..	12 985	.2	10 972	11 263
Wheat .....	farms..	185	.5	175	608
	\$1,000..	1 991	(Z)	2 018	3 352
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	1.2	413	700
	\$1,000..	6 798	.1	7 503	11 735
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	(Z)	20	50
	\$1,000..	116	(Z)	239	261
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	57	.2	104	120
	\$1,000..	369	(Z)	338	460
Other grains .....	farms..	84	.2	119	164
	\$1,000..	5 354	.1	9 029	2 875
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	1.0	220	191
	\$1,000..	42 478	.7	16 411	10 309
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	.5	233	328
	\$1,000..	25 595	.4	26 012	19 243
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	6.4	2 264	2 391
	\$1,000..	27 263	.5	23 305	16 416
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 497	4.3	1 985	2 049
	\$1,000..	1 083 921	18.1	1 053 071	697 504
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	21.8	7 541	7 815
	\$1,000..	1 493 470	24.9	1 383 465	1 108 431
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	14.7	5 180	4 373
	\$1,000..	1 449 951	24.1	1 024 315	823 183
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	3.1	1 383	1 503
	\$1,000..	666 971	11.1	640 742	612 793
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	17 743	51.0	17 370	19 922
	\$1,000..	1 187 292	19.8	1 068 613	1 033 560
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	2.7	993	1 216
	\$1,000..	348 000	5.8	263 003	266 846
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	.9	437	425
	\$1,000..	382 431	6.4	379 162	310 925
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	42.0	14 127	16 071
	\$1,000..	301 660	5.0	322 664	315 999
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	971	2.8	1 551	2 103
	\$1,000..	7 997	.1	17 494	24 897
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	209	.6	216	239
	\$1,000..	288	(Z)	292	240
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3 287	9.4	2 995	3 359
	\$1,000..	146 917	2.4	85 999	114 653
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 954	5.6	1 863	(NA)
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	12 547	.2	20 725	(NA)
	dollars..	6 421	(X)	11 124	(NA)
Value of sales:					
\$1 to \$499 .....	farms..	613	1.8	681	(NA)
	\$1,000..	129	(Z)	144	(NA)
\$500 to \$999 .....	farms..	334	1.0	292	(NA)
	\$1,000..	226	(Z)	191	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	farms..	653	1.9	583	(NA)
	\$1,000..	1 418	(Z)	1 240	(NA)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 2. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold and Direct Sales: 1997, 1992, and 1987—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Total sales (see text)—Con.				
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) <sup>1</sup> —Con.				
Value of sales—Con.				
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	farms..	1 155	.4	129
\$1,000..		1 050	(Z)	843
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	farms..	109	.3	86
\$1,000..		1 670	(Z)	1 211
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	farms..	47	.1	34
\$1,000..		1 559	(Z)	1 215
\$50,000 or more .....	farms..	43	.1	58
\$1,000..		6 494	.1	15 882

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 were not collected.

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	34 785	(X)	35 204
	\$1,000..	(X)	4 384 423	4 082 659
Average per farm .....	dollars..	(X)	126 043	115 971
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		12 703	32 302	12 617
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 492	46 548	6 738
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		6 651	103 860	6 658
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 674	95 083	2 986
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		2 073	150 060	2 122
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		1 837	283 675	1 832
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		858	307 204	929
\$500,000 or more .....		1 497	3 365 691	1 322
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		733	521 979	626
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		467	725 218	438
\$2,500,000 or more .....		297	2 118 493	258
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	(X)	7 332
	\$1,000..	(X)	145 770	131 497
	percent of total..	(X)	3.3	3.2
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 980	865	1 994
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 675	6 072	3 161
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		754	5 228	680
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		544	8 412	666
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		241	8 781	291
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		257	17 994	309
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	22 060	157
\$250,000 or more .....		95	76 358	164
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		54	18 186	74
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		18	12 349	38
\$1,000,000 or more .....		23	45 824	(NA)
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	(X)	16 345
	\$1,000..	(X)	446 861	382 945
	percent of total..	(X)	10.2	9.4
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		5 545	2 670	6 316
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		6 523	13 778	6 641
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 075	6 989	1 256
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		649	9 816	1 105
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		288	9 665	640
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		202	13 714	283
\$100,000 or more .....		547	390 229	210
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		163	25 978	670
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		182	65 978	664
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		134	86 370	320
\$1,000,000 or more .....		68	211 904	(NA)
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	8 725	(X)	6 443
	\$1,000..	(X)	333 773	249 421
	percent of total..	(X)	7.6	6.1
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		4 062	1 701	2 667
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 998	6 499	2 182
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		518	3 341	1 862
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		338	5 115	260
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		191	6 595	333
\$50,000 to \$79,999 .....		111	6 862	210
\$80,000 or more .....		507	303 660	143
\$80,000 to \$99,999 .....		39	3 489	84
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		143	23 150	163
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		170	60 834	639
\$500,000 or more .....		155	216 187	(NA)

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Total farm production expenses—Con.				
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	9 902 (X) (X)	(X) 217 919 5.0	8 983 141 379 3.5
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		4 141	753	3 990
\$500 to \$999 .....		1 060	729	1 092
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 235	5 266	1 990
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		643	4 430	590
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		819	12 476	544
\$25,000 or more .....		1 004	194 266	777
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		409	13 895	319
\$50,000 or more .....		595	180 371	458
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	23 235 (X) (X)	(X) 347 559 7.9	24 885 283 424 6.9
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		5 827	1 435	6 610
\$500 to \$999 .....		3 799	2 565	3 705
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		7 891	17 740	8 566
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 132	14 583	2 262
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 839	28 102	2 055
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		784	26 160	734
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		458	31 046	477
\$100,000 or more .....		505	225 929	476
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	17 841 (X) (X)	(X) 350 556 8.0	18 749 320 675 7.9
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		6 128	1 233	6 496
\$500 to \$999 .....		2 230	1 489	2 565
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		4 984	11 296	5 129
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 391	9 556	1 580
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 522	23 387	1 434
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		647	22 787	598
\$50,000 or more .....		939	280 809	549
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		377	26 199	947
\$100,000 or more .....		562	254 610	714
Petroleum products .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	29 619 (X) (X)	(X) 131 636 3.0	30 716 128 168 3.1
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		18 735	6 190	19 258
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		7 040	15 194	7 853
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 739	12 103	1 599
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 269	20 050	1 138
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		459	15 967	483
\$50,000 or more .....		377	62 133	438
Electricity .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	21 403 (X) (X)	(X) 55 022 1.3	22 296 55 132 1.4
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....		11 805	2 560	12 282
\$500 to \$999 .....		3 277	2 195	3 714
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		4 505	9 123	4 602
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		883	5 992	773
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		612	9 198	580
\$25,000 or more .....		321	25 954	512
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		188	6 323	345
\$50,000 or more .....		133	19 631	297
Hired farm labor .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	12 199 (X) (X)	(X) 925 607 21.1	13 151 937 571 23.0
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		3 863	1 318	4 443
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 640	5 915	2 925
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		877	6 140	1 098
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 504	24 442	1 454
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		1 071	37 900	945
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		809	56 092	843
\$100,000 or more .....		1 435	793 800	1 443
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		719	112 360	1 126
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		351	119 651	(NA)
\$500,000 or more .....		365	561 789	(NA)
Contract labor .....	farms.. \$1,000.. percent of total..	7 481 (X) (X)	(X) 477 373 10.9	7 965 367 000 9.0
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 612	687	2 525
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 530	6 039	2 457
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		799	5 877	968
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		984	15 246	817
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		505	17 468	480
\$50,000 or more .....		1 051	432 058	524
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		421	28 768	684
\$100,000 or more .....		630	403 290	(NA)

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987—Con.**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Total farm production expenses—Con.				
Repair and maintenance .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	26 205	27 007
percent of total..		4.5	251 076	170 346
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	10 686	4 101	12 380	14 193
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	8 804	18 914	8 937	8 729
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 224	14 248	2 061	1 843
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 653	24 999	1 564	1 300
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	20 502	594	429
\$50,000 or more .....	651	112 996	669	513
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	342	23 400	340	(NA)
\$100,000 or more .....	309	89 596	329	(NA)
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	8 419	9 254
percent of total..		2.3	79 297	78 275
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	1 182	3 975	4 831
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	5 484	2 953	2 950
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	685	4 724	599	642
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	470	7 043	401	416
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	7 142	216	148
\$50,000 or more .....	302	73 632	275	267
Interest .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	11 147	13 501
percent of total..		5.4	219 234	191 913
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 785	896	1 899	3 089
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 964	10 521	4 582	5 204
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 659	11 273	1 897	2 057
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 460	21 885	1 457	1 889
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	511	17 667	656	669
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	420	28 508	329	352
\$100,000 or more .....	363	146 785	327	241
Interest paid on debt:				
Secured by real estate .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	8 752	10 505
percent of total..		4.0	172 922	155 910
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	521	1 200	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	8 647	3 781	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 465	9 788	1 492	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 123	16 473	1 278	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	13 647	516	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	299	19 913	236	(NA)
\$100,000 or more .....	272	106 297	249	(NA)
Not secured by real estate .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	4 318	5 290
percent of total..		1.4	46 312	36 003
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	676	1 407	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	3 089	1 712	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	375	2 653	517	(NA)
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	473	7 104	361	(NA)
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	7 055	153	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	104	7 220	92	(NA)
\$100,000 or more .....	100	34 453	76	(NA)
Cash rent .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	4 967	5 184
percent of total..		1.3	56 025	57 278
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....	1 058	212	1 171	1 404
\$500 to \$999 .....	644	436	511	735
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 440	3 437	1 825	1 806
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	2 545	524	408
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	5 943	463	440
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	178	6 087	226	180
\$50,000 or more .....	205	37 366	247	211
Property taxes paid .....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	32 876	34 429
percent of total..		3.1	136 457	93 822
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....	9 613	2 331	10 531	14 599
\$500 to \$999 .....	6 272	4 519	6 917	7 467
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	13 509	28 496	12 264	10 073
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	12 112	1 577	1 166
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	15 285	935	673
\$25,000 or more .....	648	73 714	652	451
All other farm production expenses.....	farms..			
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	30 125	31 734
percent of total..		12.8	561 134	429 559
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	14 369	5 346	15 341	18 339
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	9 055	18 896	8 958	8 347
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	2 012	13 603	1 842	1 545
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 665	25 776	1 751	1 560
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	28 041	774	752
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	43 479	583	477
\$100,000 or more .....	905	425 994	876	714
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	517	78 748	488	(NA)
\$250,000 or more .....	388	347 246	388	(NA)

**Table 4. Net Cash Return From Agricultural Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997			1992		
	All farms	Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more	Farms with sales of less than \$10,000	All farms	Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more	Farms with sales of less than \$10,000
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (see text) .....	34 787	14 702	20 085	35 204	14 937	20 267
farms..	1 573 154	1 639 371	-66 217	1 139 072	1 209 754	-70 682
\$1,000..	45 222	111 507	-3 297	32 356	80 990	-3 488
Average per farm .....						
Farms with net gains <sup>1</sup> .....	16 344	11 209	5 135	16 384	11 452	4 932
number..	1 755 897	1 746 197	9 700	1 280 704	1 271 329	9 374
\$1,000..	107 434	155 785	1 889	78 168	111 014	1 901
Average per farm .....						
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	2 351	271	2 080	2 208	276	1 932
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 277	1 559	2 718	4 322	1 664	2 658
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 973	1 636	337	2 119	1 777	342
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 513	2 513	—	2 673	2 673	—
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1 754	1 754	—	1 739	1 739	—
\$50,000 or more .....	3 476	3 476	—	3 323	3 323	—
Farms with net losses .....	18 443	3 493	14 950	18 820	3 485	15 335
number..	182 743	106 826	75 917	141 632	61 575	80 057
\$1,000..	9 909	30 583	5 078	7 526	17 669	5 221
Average per farm .....						
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....	3 024	244	2 780	3 225	352	2 873
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	8 461	1 033	7 428	8 266	835	7 431
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3 622	692	2 930	3 894	830	3 064
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 411	815	1 596	2 633	856	1 777
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	559	394	165	580	437	143
\$50,000 or more .....	366	315	51	222	175	47

<sup>1</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 5. Government Payments and Other Farm-Related Income: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms		Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more		
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	
Government payments .....	1997..	2 921	11 074	1 335	6 932
	1992..	2 492	13 571	1 584	11 293
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	3 791	(X)	5 192
	1992..	(X)	5 446	(X)	7 130
1997 farms with receipts of—					
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 040	350	442	162
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		1 330	3 103	547	1 299
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		295	1 944	161	1 047
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		202	3 063	139	2 162
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		41	1 392	36	1 226
\$50,000 or more .....		13	1 221	10	1 036
Amount from Conservation Reserve and Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	1997..	1 624	5 453	497	2 057
	1992..	779	2 728	414	1 710
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	3 358	(X)	4 138
	1992..	(X)	3 502	(X)	4 130
Other farm-related income, gross before taxes and expenses <sup>2</sup> .....	1997..	4 773	44 430	2 332	35 433
	1992..	4 174	42 452	2 093	34 681
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	9 309	(X)	15 194
	1992..	(X)	10 171	(X)	16 570
1997 farms with receipts of—					
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 544	564	632	222
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		1 680	4 056	715	1 786
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		553	3 677	223	1 502
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		637	9 284	426	6 474
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		196	6 544	178	5 894
\$50,000 or more .....		163	20 315	158	19 555
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	1997..	1 382	17 039	714	14 682
	1992..	1 618	18 366	893	16 522
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	12 330	(X)	20 563
	1992..	(X)	11 351	(X)	18 502
1997 farms with receipts of—					
\$1 to \$999 .....		345	148	122	57
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		478	1 115	156	384
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		139	945	60	418
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		236	3 523	195	2 984
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		87	2 730	87	2 730
\$50,000 or more .....		97	8 579	94	8 109
Rental of farmland .....	1997..	1 422	10 962	544	8 078
	1992..	1 576	12 360	650	9 345
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	7 709	(X)	14 849
	1992..	(X)	7 842	(X)	14 377
1997 farms with receipts of—					
\$1 to \$999 .....		461	216	114	54
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		572	1 325	235	559
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		228	1 491	64	403
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		81	1 190	67	939
\$25,000 or more .....		80	6 741	64	6 123
Sales of forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products <sup>3</sup> .....	1997..	739	9 664	263	6 633
	1992..	605	7 697	319	5 467
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	13 064	(X)	25 219
	1992..	(X)	12 722	(X)	17 137
1997 farms with receipts of—					
\$1 to \$999 .....		124	47	38	18
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		223	593	37	86
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		101	678	45	319
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		246	3 070	101	1 228
\$25,000 or more .....		45	5 267	42	4 981
Other farm-related income sources .....	1997..	1 780	6 774	1 128	6 040
	1992..	823	4 030	544	3 347
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	1997..	(X)	3 805	(X)	5 355
	1992..	(X)	4 896	(X)	6 152
1997 farms with receipts of—					
\$1 to \$999 .....		979	251	506	131
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		530	1 262	388	974
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		114	755	90	603
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....		103	1 580	90	1 405
\$25,000 or more .....		54	2 926	54	2 926

<sup>1</sup>Data are in whole dollars.

<sup>2</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>3</sup>Data for 1992 include Christmas trees and maple products.

**Table 6. Commodity Credit Corporation Loans: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

CCC loans	1997		1992	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>118</b>	<b>1 936</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>6 486</b>
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	16 409	(X)	24 850
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	45	15	52	26
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	29	63	63	161
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	12	89	44	306
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	14	190	29	432
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	7	157	15	327
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	3	98	29	1 027
\$50,000 or more .....	8	1 323	29	4 207
Corn .....	62	138	70	542
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	2 231	(X)	7 742
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	39	11	29	14
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	19	65	28	90
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	4	63	8	128
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	5	311
Wheat .....	15	(D)	9	(D)
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	(D)	(X)	(D)
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	7	(D)	2	(D)
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	8	23	6	26
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	1	(D)
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	11	62	15	332
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	5 672	(X)	22 129
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	4	1	2	(D)
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	4	5	4	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	3	57	8	134
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	1	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	1	(D)	—	—
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	(D)	(X)	—
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	1	(D)	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	32	808	24	(D)
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	25 242	(X)	(D)
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	7	(D)	1	(D)
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	11	(D)	4	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	7	111	12	(D)
\$25,000 or more .....	7	660	7	387
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	—	—	—	—
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	—	(X)	—
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco <sup>2</sup> .....	28	900	174	4 971
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	32 159	(X)	28 570
Farms with loans of—				
\$1 to \$999 .....	3	2	29	15
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	11	44	78	361
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	9	123	25	431
\$25,000 or more .....	5	731	42	4 164

<sup>1</sup>Data are in whole dollars.

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

**Table 7. Land Use: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	1997	Percent of total in 1997	1992	1987
Farms .....	34 799	100.0	35 204	36 556
Land in farms .....	10 454 217	100.0	10 766 077	11 194 090
Total cropland .....	27 141	78.0	28 702	29 386
farms..	3 639 850	34.8	3 841 505	3 790 599
acres..	21 017	60.4	22 556	22 677
Harvested cropland .....	2 435 702	23.3	2 400 704	2 240 831
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 49 acres .....	15 917	45.7	17 306	17 351
1 to 9 acres .....	8 400	24.1	9 239	8 768
10 to 19 acres .....	3 337	9.6	3 616	4 012
20 to 29 acres .....	2 058	5.9	2 151	2 292
30 to 49 acres .....	2 122	6.1	2 300	2 279
50 to 99 acres .....	1 990	5.7	2 135	2 106
100 to 199 acres .....	1 223	3.5	1 259	1 359
200 to 499 acres .....	1 052	3.0	1 092	1 123
500 to 999 acres .....	458	1.3	400	420
1,000 acres or more .....	377	1.1	364	318
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	203	.6	193	187
2,000 acres or more .....	174	.5	171	131
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing .....	10 389	29.9	10 916	11 460
farms..	895 684	8.6	972 995	1 004 426
acres..	3 816	11.0	5 538	6 264
Other cropland .....	308 464	3.0	467 806	545 342
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	777	2.2	1 116	1 135
farms..	39 152	.4	84 546	69 042
acres..	378	1.1	613	723
Cropland on which all crops failed .....	14 457	.1	23 372	25 611
farms..	240	.7	406	347
acres..	47 061	.5	52 735	44 871
Cropland idle .....	2 816	8.1	4 215	4 904
farms..	207 794	2.0	307 153	405 818
Total woodland .....	8 885	25.5	9 185	9 457
farms..	2 132 308	20.4	1 922 035	2 213 679
acres..	4 158	11.9	4 633	5 181
Woodland pastured .....	1 091 166	10.4	1 085 623	1 362 661
farms..	6 029	17.3	5 928	5 771
acres..	1 041 142	10.0	836 412	851 018
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured .....	8 495	24.4	7 662	8 896
farms..	4 069 927	38.9	4 456 686	4 495 653
acres..	18 528	53.2	17 469	19 656
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .....	612 132	5.9	545 851	694 159
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs <sup>1</sup> .....	1 624	(X)	886	309
farms..	125 878	(X)	71 426	25 835

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 are for Conservation Reserve Program only.

**Table 8. Land in Farms, Harvested Cropland, and Irrigated Land, by Size of Farm: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	Farms		Land in farms (acres)		Harvested cropland (acres)		Irrigated land (acres)	
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992
Land in farms .....	34 799	35 204	10 454 217		10 766 077	2 435 702	2 400 704	1 862 404
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	7 394	7 664	31 756		32 396	14 655	15 225	10 464
10 to 49 acres .....	12 750	12 692	299 482		298 281	98 938	103 542	63 175
50 to 69 acres .....	2 206	2 190	126 908		126 091	39 730	40 813	24 392
70 to 99 acres .....	2 388	2 222	195 465		181 849	56 206	54 069	32 577
100 to 139 acres .....	1 984	1 964	228 044		226 949	58 677	56 525	31 163
140 to 179 acres .....	1 354	1 362	211 667		213 154	52 845	52 369	28 292
180 to 219 acres .....	949	982	187 552		193 820	47 855	45 550	27 137
220 to 259 acres .....	671	728	159 618		172 880	40 225	46 940	23 488
260 to 499 acres .....	2 067	2 301	728 009		819 706	207 203	224 964	114 247
500 to 999 acres .....	1 390	1 451	948 763		987 243	293 395	267 722	167 866
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	802	776	1 074 109		1 057 451	319 127	294 978	226 743
2,000 acres or more .....	844	872	6 262 844		6 456 257	1 206 846	1 198 007	1 112 860
5,000 acres or more .....	317	337	4 683 684		4 851 437	803 587	802 975	804 957
Farms with harvested cropland .....	21 017	22 556	6 524 970		7 450 003	2 435 702	2 400 704	1 826 947
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	5 009	5 358	20 954		22 052	14 655	15 225	10 156
10 to 49 acres .....	6 945	7 477	162 396		174 228	98 938	103 542	61 493
50 to 69 acres .....	1 289	1 338	74 311		76 946	39 730	40 813	23 933
70 to 99 acres .....	1 418	1 441	116 318		117 567	56 206	54 069	32 138
100 to 139 acres .....	1 161	1 230	133 758		142 273	58 677	56 525	30 637
140 to 179 acres .....	812	866	127 501		135 572	52 845	52 369	27 280
180 to 219 acres .....	574	625	113 493		123 290	47 855	45 550	26 687
220 to 259 acres .....	413	478	98 330		113 457	40 225	46 940	22 862
260 to 499 acres .....	1 376	1 605	488 087		573 094	207 203	224 964	110 428
500 to 999 acres .....	930	998	637 151		681 072	293 395	267 722	162 729
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	545	549	736 634		750 874	319 127	294 978	220 599
2,000 acres or more .....	545	591	3 816 037		4 539 578	1 206 846	1 198 007	1 098 005
5,000 acres or more .....	194	223	2 738 037		3 436 185	803 587	802 975	797 264
Farms with irrigated land .....	12 673	13 500	4 567 412		4 936 974	1 900 592	1 833 242	1 862 404
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres .....	3 795	4 063	15 609		16 470	10 513	10 902	10 464
10 to 49 acres .....	4 441	4 816	99 993		106 178	64 354	66 270	63 175
50 to 69 acres .....	702	734	40 258		42 304	25 190	25 913	24 392
70 to 99 acres .....	648	661	52 928		53 866	33 667	32 666	32 577
100 to 139 acres .....	514	543	58 811		62 145	33 178	32 162	31 163
140 to 179 acres .....	353	365	55 388		56 654	30 014	29 867	28 292
180 to 219 acres .....	245	240	48 689		47 667	28 796	25 175	27 137
220 to 259 acres .....	188	215	44 747		50 845	25 188	28 486	25 301
260 to 499 acres .....	605	706	214 969		251 081	123 192	130 876	114 247
500 to 999 acres .....	474	467	327 740		324 591	184 946	164 689	167 866
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	339	306	458 707		423 139	248 349	215 228	226 743
2,000 acres or more .....	369	384	3 149 573		3 502 034	1 093 205	1 071 008	1 112 860
5,000 acres or more .....	154	157	2 476 648		2 818 122	769 454	760 950	804 957

**Table 9. Irrigation: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms with irrigation	1997	1992	1987	Farms with irrigation	1997	1992	1987
Farms .....	number..	12 673	13 500	Irrigated land—Con.			
Proportion of farms .....	percent..	36.4	38.3	Acres irrigated—Con.			
				200 to 499 acres .....	farms..	622	625
					acres..	187 624	189 233
Irrigated land .....	acres..	1 862 404	1 782 680	500 to 999 acres .....	farms..	287	248
Average per farm .....	acres..	147	132		acres..	199 323	173 174
				1,000 acres or more .....	farms..	312	296
Acres irrigated:					acres..	1 208 692	1 150 497
1 to 9 acres .....	farms..	5 950	6 656	Irrigated land use:			
	acres..	19 145	21 149	Harvested cropland .....	farms..	12 202	12 995
10 to 49 acres .....	farms..	3 761	3 925		acres..	1 729 449	1 624 498
	acres..	83 812	87 819	Pastureland and other land .....	farms..	745	858
50 to 99 acres .....	farms..	1 081	1 120		acres..	132 955	158 182
	acres..	73 928	75 357	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres..	4 567 412	4 936 974
100 to 199 acres .....	farms..	660	630	Cropland .....	acres..	2 304 248	2 308 769
	acres..	89 880	85 451	Harvested cropland .....	acres..	1 900 592	1 833 242

**Table 10. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms		
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated				
	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	1997	1992	
Farms .....	number..	34 799	35 204	12 673	13 500	10 744	11 334	22 126	21 704
Land in farms .....	acres..	10 454 217	10 766 077	4 567 412	4 936 974	3 033 250	2 659 361	5 886 805	5 829 103
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> :									
Average per farm .....	dollars..	662 538	619 265	1 063 753	976 153	927 070	806 107	428 185	395 191
Average per acre .....	dollars..	2 241	2 037	3 003	2 702	3 304	3 484	1 638	1 475
Irrigated land .....	acres..	1 862 404	1 782 680	1 862 404	1 782 680	1 505 020	1 345 920	(X)	(X)
Land in farms according to use:									
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	28 702	12 502	13 323	10 744	11 334	14 639	15 379
	acres..	3 639 850	3 841 505	2 304 248	2 308 769	1 668 738	1 573 874	1 335 602	1 532 736
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	22 556	12 277	13 061	10 744	11 334	8 740	9 495
	acres..	2 435 702	2 400 704	1 900 592	1 833 242	1 429 697	1 292 010	535 110	567 462
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....	farms..	17 826	17 463	2 794	2 947	1 788	1 795	15 032	14 516
	acres..	4 965 611	5 429 681	1 510 571	2 035 132	889 635	747 994	3 455 040	3 394 549
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	1 624	886	201	171	121	90	1 423	715
	acres..	125 878	71 426	11 283	15 871	6 133	5 238	114 595	55 555
Owned and rented land in farms:									
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	32 454	32 515	11 796	12 407	9 976	10 381	20 658	20 108
	acres..	7 648 772	7 270 193	3 741 250	3 848 146	2 481 622	2 158 270	3 907 522	3 422 047
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 837	8 542	2 388	2 837	1 799	2 116	5 449	5 705
	acres..	2 805 445	3 495 884	826 162	1 088 828	551 628	501 091	1 979 283	2 407 056
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	\$1,000..	6 004 554	5 266 033	4 849 744	4 232 437	3 968 662	3 374 094	1 154 810	1 033 596
Average per farm .....	dollars..	172 550	149 586	382 683	313 514	369 384	297 697	52 192	47 622
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	16 910	17 582	11 195	11 420	9 779	9 848	5 715	6 162
	\$1,000..	4 817 261	4 197 420	4 540 919	3 926 304	3 858 898	3 234 471	276 342	271 116
Livestock, poultry, and their products .....	farms..	17 743	17 370	2 205	2 343	1 278	1 321	15 538	15 027
	\$1,000..	1 187 292	1 068 613	308 825	306 132	109 764	139 623	878 468	762 481
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	\$1,000..	4 384 423	4 082 659	3 432 991	3 201 975	2 780 327	2 533 013	951 431	880 685
Average per farm .....	dollars..	126 043	115 971	267 638	235 821	258 347	222 448	43 326	40 723
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	7 332	911	1 135	489	544	5 786	6 197
	\$1,000..	145 770	131 497	29 960	29 200	11 918	13 327	115 811	102 297
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	16 345	1 944	2 498	1 076	1 365	12 885	13 847
	\$1,000..	446 861	382 945	112 805	103 203	36 998	48 079	334 056	279 742
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	9 902	8 983	5 386	4 368	4 432	3 401	4 516	4 615
	\$1,000..	217 919	141 379	204 604	130 687	175 133	116 046	13 316	10 692
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	24 885	12 034	13 024	10 208	11 119	11 201	11 861
	\$1,000..	347 559	283 424	302 149	236 650	240 501	187 098	45 410	46 774
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	18 749	11 063	12 011	9 396	10 302	6 778	6 738
	\$1,000..	350 556	320 675	324 142	295 974	268 566	239 927	26 414	24 701
Petroleum products .....	farms..	29 619	30 716	10 930	11 837	9 082	9 822	18 689	18 879
	\$1,000..	131 636	128 168	99 809	97 090	82 763	75 381	31 827	31 078
Electricity .....	farms..	21 403	22 296	9 545	10 225	7 996	8 548	11 858	12 071
	\$1,000..	55 022	55 132	38 733	39 594	28 400	32 822	16 288	15 539
Hired farm labor .....	farms..	12 199	13 151	6 707	6 815	5 583	5 637	5 492	6 336
	\$1,000..	925 607	937 571	832 393	828 078	695 094	667 336	93 214	109 492
Contract labor .....	farms..	7 481	7 965	4 851	4 964	4 102	4 286	2 630	3 001
	\$1,000..	477 373	367 000	449 421	347 098	384 313	298 763	27 953	19 902
Repairs and maintenance .....	farms..	24 621	26 205	9 485	10 533	7 745	8 618	15 136	15 672
	\$1,000..	195 760	251 076	145 847	202 790	114 861	150 941	49 914	48 286
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment .....	farms..	7 081	8 419	3 645	4 284	3 080	3 451	3 436	4 135
	\$1,000..	99 207	79 297	87 128	68 857	70 965	51 910	12 079	10 439
Interest .....	farms..	10 162	11 147	4 733	5 215	3 793	4 286	5 429	5 932
	\$1,000..	237 536	219 234	193 082	175 130	161 575	127 054	44 454	44 104
Cash rent .....	farms..	4 277	4 967	1 601	2 002	1 185	1 444	2 676	2 965
	\$1,000..	56 025	77 950	43 447	61 599	35 116	50 414	12 578	16 352
Property taxes paid .....	farms..	32 866	32 876	12 079	12 641	10 078	10 543	20 787	20 235
	\$1,000..	136 457	126 133	97 241	93 607	77 567	69 474	39 216	32 526
All other farm production expenses .....	farms..	29 438	30 125	11 639	12 241	9 730	10 205	17 799	17 884
	\$1,000..	561 134	581 177	472 233	492 416	396 557	404 439	88 901	88 761
Commodity Credit Corporation loans <sup>2</sup> .....	farms..	118	261	19	44	3	15	99	217
	\$1,000..	1 936	6 486	751	846	(D)	609	1 185	5 640
Government payments received .....	farms..	2 921	2 492	529	836	314	557	2 392	1 656
	\$1,000..	11 074	13 571	2 987	6 082	1 423	4 127	8 087	7 489
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	4 174	1 620	1 480	1 141	1 074	3 153	2 694
	\$1,000..	44 430	42 452	25 685	23 955	17 224	15 435	18 745	18 498
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	34 786	34 587	12 827	13 191	10 762	11 018	21 959	21 396
	\$1,000..	1 421 654	1 414 554	869 246	942 434	713 133	723 155	552 408	472 120
Average per farm .....	dollars..	40 869	40 898	67 767	71 445	66 264	65 634	25 156	22 066
Livestock inventory:									
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	15 849	15 522	2 030	2 123	1 212	1 207	13 819	13 399
	number..	1 808 900	1 783 968	612 410	643 035	329 065	286 564	1 196 490	1 140 933
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	877	98	131	40	65	568	746
	number..	159 614	171 675	69 626	67 976	16 744	30 758	89 988	103 699
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	1 431	1 926	186	270	96	126	1 245	1 656
	number..	50 309	114 899	10 532	26 421	5 242	8 662	39 777	88 478
Sheep and lambs .....	farms..	336	305	52	49	35	25	284	256
	number..	5 722	7 465	542	967	277	311	5 180	6 498

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Data for 1992 include CCC loans for rye and honey.

**Table 11. Value of Land and Buildings: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Value of land and buildings	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)		
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	34 787	(X)	35 204	36 562
farms..			21 800	19 883
\$1,000..		23 047 695	599	510
dolars..		662 538	619 265	543 830
Average per farm .....	(X)	2 241	2 037	1 790
Average per acre .....	(X)			
Farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3 876	79 545	4 256	5 419
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	3 559	190 392	4 154	4 550
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 014	245 985	3 401	3 539
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	4 566	535 798	4 609	4 927
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 577	592 893	3 753	3 724
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	9 404	2 811 632	8 830	8 387
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3 411	2 337 663	2 993	3 066
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	1 611	2 192 462	1 557	1 579
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 138	3 355 355	962	857
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	10 705 968	689	524

**Table 12. Value of Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Value of machinery and equipment	1997		1992	
	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	34 786	1 421 654	34 587	1 414 554
Average per farm <sup>1</sup> .....	(X)	40 869	(X)	40 898
By value group:				
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 239	17 337	6 453	17 295
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7 040	46 745	8 098	59 878
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7 275	95 421	8 251	106 808
\$20,000 to \$29,999 .....	4 515	103 448	4 025	92 181
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	3 856	140 262	3 078	109 070
\$50,000 to \$69,999 .....	2 175	119 748	1 399	77 341
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 028	81 475	1 118	90 188
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 683	213 500	1 121	142 816
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	685	200 326	722	194 619
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	161	103 078	175	117 645
\$1,000,000 or more .....	129	300 313	147	406 712

<sup>1</sup>Data are in whole dollars.

**Table 13. Selected Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1997 and 1992**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Selected machinery and equipment	1997						1992		
	Total		Manufactured 1993 to 1997		Manufactured prior to 1993		Farms	Number	Number manufactured 1988 to 1992
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	27 590	54 030	11 136	16 952	21 090	37 078	28 736	52 210	17 955
2 or 3 .....	8 030	18 293	1 873	4 187	5 367	12 096	7 037	15 803	3 868
4 or more .....	2 158	18 335	544	4 046	1 217	10 476	1 920	16 628	5 090
Wheel tractors .....	28 305	51 110	5 601	8 197	24 846	42 913	27 752	58 353	11 878
2 or 3 .....	8 812	20 087	993	2 234	7 484	17 089	8 541	19 302	3 164
4 or more .....	1 793	13 323	228	1 583	1 320	9 782	2 907	22 747	4 168
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	16 078	20 900	2 823	3 571	13 689	17 329	17 476	25 600	4 985
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	16 943	30 210	3 174	4 626	14 885	25 584	15 908	32 753	6 893
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	15 680	25 210	2 736	3 611	13 747	21 599	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	3 067	5 000	622	1 015	2 629	3 985	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Grain and bean combines .....	648	773	58	69	604	704	1 122	1 412	135
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	249	325	68	83	186	242	108	(D)	33
Mower conditioners .....	5 327	6 241	1 525	1 702	3 965	4 539	6 070	7 934	2 258
Pickup balers .....	2 056	2 612	459	551	1 714	2 061	2 897	3 848	875

**Table 14. Petroleum Products Expenses: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992	1987
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)		
Petroleum products .....				
farms..	29 619	(X)	30 716	31 581
\$1,000..		131 636	128 168	104 591
Average per farm .....	(X)	4 444	4 173	3 312
Gasoline and gasohol .....				
farms..	20 205	(X)	21 590	23 446
\$1,000..		50 229	43 752	40 155
Average per farm .....	(X)	2 486	2 027	1 713
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....	10 363	1 789	11 184	12 764
\$500 to \$999 .....	3 114	1 957	3 478	3 956
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	2 852	3 771	2 844	2 933
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 321	6 599	2 536	2 282
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	750	5 040	761	828
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	534	7 932	575	478
\$25,000 or more .....	271	23 142	212	205
Diesel fuel .....				
farms..	21 549	(X)	21 801	19 392
\$1,000..		60 717	64 713	47 571
Average per farm .....	(X)	2 818	2 968	2 453
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$499 .....	12 608	2 289	12 670	11 555
\$500 to \$999 .....	2 921	1 865	3 174	2 599
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	2 215	2 799	2 125	1 832
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 887	5 619	1 951	1 747
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	842	5 631	823	770
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	675	9 895	626	572
\$25,000 or more .....	401	32 619	432	317
Natural gas .....				
farms..	394	(X)	429	594
\$1,000..		2 120	2 510	1 329
Average per farm .....	(X)	5 380	5 851	2 238
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$99 .....	69	2	55	63
\$100 to \$499 .....	83	22	123	251
\$500 to \$999 .....	61	35	59	77
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	58	79	46	61
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	60	202	64	84
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	29	168	27	25
\$10,000 or more .....	34	1 612	55	33
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....				
farms..	18 420	(X)	20 059	18 660
\$1,000..		18 570	17 193	15 536
Average per farm .....	(X)	1 008	857	833
Farms with expenses of—				
\$1 to \$99 .....	8 210	363	8 753	8 000
\$100 to \$499 .....	6 364	1 299	7 183	6 770
\$500 to \$999 .....	1 271	846	1 435	1 515
\$1,000 to \$1,999 .....	977	1 291	1 057	938
\$2,000 to \$4,999 .....	844	2 480	954	832
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	400	2 753	387	365
\$10,000 or more .....	354	9 538	290	240

**Table 15. Agricultural Chemicals Used, Including Fertilizer: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[Data are based on a sample of farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Chemicals used	1997	1992	1987	
Any chemicals or fertilizer used <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	25 129	26 571	27 893
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	24 885	24 803
acres on which used..		2 939 310	3 206 580	2 958 843
\$1,000..		347 559	283 424	209 617
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	18 749	20 539
\$1,000..		350 556	320 675	227 063
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—				
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	10 714	12 137	12 555
acres on which used..		1 596 677	1 597 154	1 415 048
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	2 128	2 923	3 352
acres on which used..		285 104	436 835	333 491
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	7 246	7 768	8 328
acres on which used..		1 033 768	990 031	866 082
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	10 491	10 875	11 983
acres on which used..		1 494 432	1 583 233	1 456 684
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	1 041	1 337	1 601
acres on which used..		116 751	245 186	97 063

<sup>1</sup>Data for 1987 include farms on which lime was applied alone or together with fertilizer and/or chemicals.

**Table 16. Tenure and Characteristics of Operator and Type of Organization for All Farms and Farms Operated by Black and Other Races: 1997, 1992, and 1987**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All farms			Farms operated by Black and other races <sup>1</sup>		
	1997	1992	1987	1997	1992	1987
<b>Tenure of operator:</b>						
All operators .....	farms.. acres..	34 799 10 454 217	35 204 10 766 077	36 556 11 194 090	1 318 176 541	1 126 160 098
Harvested cropland .....	farms.. acres..	21 017 2 435 702	22 556 2 400 704	22 677 2 240 631	818 33 118	768 27 695
Full owners .....	farms.. acres..	26 962 6 174 123	26 662 5 670 313	28 185 5 974 462	919 49 016	783 115 950
Harvested cropland .....	farms.. acres..	16 473 1 473 656	17 186 1 248 911	17 381 1 112 742	549 13 306	520 8 826
Part owners .....	farms.. acres..	5 492 3 321 299	5 853 3 788 013	5 766 4 073 769	262 114 618	210 33 531
Harvested cropland .....	farms.. acres..	3 252 807 286	3 741 956 062	3 771 949 863	174 15 463	168 151
Tenants .....	farms.. acres..	2 345 958 795	2 689 1 307 751	2 605 1 145 859	137 12 907	133 10 617
Harvested cropland .....	farms.. acres..	1 292 154 760	1 629 195 731	1 525 178 226	95 4 349	100 3 858
Percent of tenancy .....	percent..	6.7	7.6	7.1	10.4	11.8
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....		21 333	21 742	22 837	725	572
Not on farm operated .....		10 106	10 848	10 961	467	430
Not reported .....		3 360	2 614	2 758	126	124
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....		15 782	16 557	15 821	607	539
Other .....		19 017	18 647	20 735	711	587
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....		14 054	14 150	13 494	531	458
Any .....		18 337	18 791	21 196	697	581
1 to 49 days .....		1 541	1 682	1 702	78	59
50 to 99 days .....		866	936	1 073	29	38
100 to 149 days .....		1 103	1 070	1 258	63	36
150 to 199 days .....		1 675	1 773	1 814	86	78
200 days or more .....		13 152	13 330	15 349	441	370
Not reported .....		2 408	2 263	1 866	90	87
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....		1 924	1 947	2 328	99	93
3 or 4 years .....		2 802	3 129	3 156	146	124
5 to 9 years .....		5 431	6 356	6 966	265	224
10 years or more .....		18 327	17 755	17 486	520	394
Average years on present farm .....		17.3	16.1	15.5	14.4	13.5
Not reported .....		6 315	6 017	6 620	288	291
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....		150	209	250	9	11
25 to 34 years .....		1 493	2 030	2 840	42	57
35 to 44 years .....		5 664	6 245	7 009	237	215
45 to 49 years .....		4 111	4 074	4 268	183	147
50 to 54 years .....		4 518	4 374	4 415	163	129
55 to 59 years .....		4 356	4 232	4 794	179	154
60 to 64 years .....		3 937	4 445	4 509	149	143
65 to 69 years .....		3 802	3 665	3 594	117	85
70 years and over .....		6 768	5 930	4 877	239	185
Average age .....		56.5	55.3	53.7	56.0	54.8
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	farms.. acres..	29 415 9 660 732	30 353 10 017 485	31 950 10 585 500	1 144 167 340	992 150 765
Female .....	farms.. acres..	5 384 793 485	4 851 748 592	4 606 608 590	174 9 201	107 9 333
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	farms.. acres..	1 060 226 997	928 405 262	624 205 542	278 30 041	224 16 009
Operators not of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin .....	farms..	27 820	25 242	26 014	803	527
Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin not reported .....	farms..	5 919	9 034	9 918	237	375
Type of organization:						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....	farms.. acres..	27 173 4 473 744	27 243 4 718 097	28 943 5 376 655	1 081 72 094	911 54 607
Partnership .....	farms.. acres..	2 716	3 233	3 289	65 (D)	62 (D)
Corporation .....	farms.. acres..	1 614 276 4 087 035	1 688 973 4 048 844	1 605 476 3 819 894	162 22 562	132 17 616
Family held:						
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	157 914 945	121 970 588	82 711 830	3 (D)	1 (D)
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	3 724 2 106 448	3 488 1 904 961	3 332 1 877 471	131 14 018	106 13 743
Other than family held:						
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	67 417 047	76 505 153	56 437 187	3 (D)	— —
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. acres..	568 648 595	640 668 142	25 491	25 (D)	25 12
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms.. acres..	394 279 162	403 310 163	363 392 065	10 (D)	14 14
						73 897

<sup>1</sup>For classification of social and ethnic groups, see text.

**Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin <sup>1</sup>
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	1 318	643	135	271	269	5 384	29 415	1 060
1992..	1 126	612	102	192	220	4 851	30 353	928
Land in farms .....	176 541	47 130	88 315	18 708	22 388	793 485	9 660 732	226 997
1992..	160 098	42 529	85 880	15 943	15 746	748 592	10 017 485	405 262
Harvested cropland .....	farms, 1997..	818	351	61	226	180	2 783	18 234
1992..	768	376	54	166	172	2 689	19 867	702
acres, 1997..	33 118	11 239	5 798	8 417	7 664	105 540	2 330 162	96 367
1992..	27 695	12 344	1 113	7 339	6 899	91 517	2 309 187	248 200
<b>1997 FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	389	136	30	97	126	1 500	5 894	409
10 to 49 acres .....	516	255	58	117	86	2 149	10 601	372
50 to 139 acres .....	251	159	27	34	31	908	5 670	127
140 to 219 acres .....	61	45	4	7	5	253	2 050	38
220 to 499 acres .....	65	40	8	8	9	322	2 416	37
500 acres or more .....	36	8	8	8	12	252	2 784	77
<b>1997 OWNED AND RENTED LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	1 181	584	123	255	5 116	27 338	938
acres..	128 924	28 421	75 306	10 046	15 219	658 875	6 989 897	161 450
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	399	232	42	44	81	7 040	262
acres..	47 617	18 709	13 009	8 662	7 237	134 610	2 670 835	65 547
<b>TENURE OF OPERATOR</b>								
Full owners .....	farms, 1997..	919	411	93	227	188	4 587	22 375
1992..	783	427	69	148	139	4 089	22 573	632
acres, 1997..	49 016	19 510	8 428	8 425	12 653	601 511	5 572 612	96 376
Part owners .....	farms, 1997..	115 950	20 105	80 586	7 033	8 226	574 340	5 095 973
1992..	262	173	30	28	31	529	4 963	140
acres, 1997..	114 618	23 120	(D)	8 073	(D)	146 487	3 174 812	97 344
Tenants .....	farms, 1997..	33 531	18 581	2 410	7 830	4 710	147 966	3 640 047
1992..	137	59	12	16	50	268	2 077	122
acres, 1997..	133	51	12	15	55	263	2 426	164
1992..	12 907	4 500	(D)	2 210	(D)	45 487	913 308	33 277
1992..	10 617	3 843	2 884	1 080	2 810	26 286	1 281 465	16 427
<b>1997 FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) .....		1 081	589	119	174	199	4 364	22 809
Partnership .....		65	30	5	19	11	347	2 369
Family held corporation .....		134	16	4	67	47	522	3 359
Other than family held corporation .....		28	5	2	9	12	68	567
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. .....		10	3	5	2	—	83	311
<b>1997 MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales..... farms..	1 318	643	135	271	269	5 384	29 415	1 060
\$1,000..	130 687	10 181	28 171	53 417	38 919	312 408	5 692 146	224 998
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	678	281	43	196	158	2 220	14 690
\$1,000..	114 264	7 942	19 554	50 506	36 263	197 894	4 619 367	193 509
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms..		656	415	87	51	103	2 611	15 132
\$1,000..	16 423	2 239	8 616	2 911	2 656	114 513	1 072 779	31 490
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 .....		256	125	35	48	48	1 440	5 319
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		205	131	27	19	28	743	4 028
\$2,500 to \$9,999 .....		386	236	35	53	62	1 378	7 149
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		133	71	9	23	30	530	3 030
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		32	8	2	13	9	152	860
\$25,000 or more .....		306	72	27	115	92	1 141	9 029
<b>1997 FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		54	41	5	8	—	218	900
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		153	76	7	40	30	90	1 160
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		198	50	18	79	51	1 259	6 986
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		201	29	9	90	73	782	4 120
Other crop farming (1119) .....		97	77	7	4	9	179	1 958
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		18	18	—	—	—	9	128
Cotton farming (11192) .....		4	2	1	1	—	7	195
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		75	57	6	3	9	163	1 635
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		416	263	55	30	68	1 592	10 448
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		11	6	1	—	4	39	270
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		7	—	4	—	3	18	20
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		88	77	4	3	4	69	399
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		12	1	2	5	4	96	464
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		21	11	1	4	5	58	214
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		60	12	22	8	18	984	2 218

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 17. Selected Characteristics of Farms by Specified Racial Groups, Sex of Operators, and Persons of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	Farms operated by specified racial groups					Operators by sex		Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin <sup>1</sup>
	Total	Black	American Indian	Asian or Pacific Islander	Other (see text)	Female	Male	
<b>1997 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	725	374	99	106	146	3 597	17 736	590
Not on farm operated .....	467	195	23	133	116	1 310	8 796	442
Not reported .....	126	74	13	32	7	477	2 883	28
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	607	280	53	142	132	2 489	13 293	550
Other .....	711	363	82	129	137	2 895	16 122	510
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	531	270	45	113	103	2 617	11 437	455
Any .....	697	324	79	140	154	2 370	15 967	555
1 to 99 days .....	107	56	8	21	22	362	2 045	96
100 to 199 days .....	149	63	15	41	30	431	2 347	96
200 days or more .....	441	205	56	78	102	1 577	11 575	363
Not reported .....	90	49	11	18	12	397	2 011	50
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	99	31	17	17	34	369	1 555	97
3 or 4 years .....	146	40	15	47	44	541	2 261	155
5 to 9 years .....	265	98	30	64	73	871	4 560	236
10 years or more .....	520	301	52	85	82	2 667	15 660	434
Average years on present farm .....	14.4	19.7	13.5	9.2	8.9	17.0	17.3	11.8
Not reported .....	288	173	21	58	36	936	5 379	138
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	9	3	—	—	6	33	117	9
25 to 34 years .....	42	8	4	9	21	194	1 299	74
35 to 44 years .....	237	74	35	57	71	941	4 723	226
45 to 54 years .....	346	160	31	90	65	1 243	7 366	293
55 to 59 years .....	179	76	19	54	30	566	3 790	125
60 to 64 years .....	149	66	18	26	39	505	3 432	126
65 to 69 years .....	117	77	13	12	15	504	3 298	84
70 years and over .....	239	179	15	23	22	1 398	5 370	123
Average age .....	56.0	60.0	54.1	52.7	50.4	58.1	56.3	52.6
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	1 144	572	113	215	244	(X)	29 415	940
Female .....	174	71	22	56	25	5 384	(X)	120
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	278	16	2	14	246	120	940	1 060
<b>1997 COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS</b>								
Amount received from Commodity Credit Corporation loans .....	farms..	11	9	2	—	5	113	—
\$1,000..		19	(D)	(D)	—	23	1 913	—
Government payments received .....	farms..	133	103	14	10	6	435	2 486
\$1,000..		174	112	50	10	2	1 391	47
							9 683	204

<sup>1</sup>See chapter 1, table 16 for operators not of or not reporting Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin.

**Table 18. Selected Characteristics of Farms by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

NAICS code (see text)	Farms	Land in farms (acres)	Harvested cropland (acres)	Estimated market value of selected capital assets <sup>1</sup> , average per farm (dollars)		Market value of agricultural products sold (\$1,000)		
				Land and buildings	Machinery and equipment	Total	Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops	Livestock, poultry, and their products
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>34 799</b>	<b>10 454 217</b>	<b>2 435 702</b>	<b>662 538</b>	<b>40 869</b>	<b>6 004 554</b>	<b>4 817 261</b>	<b>1 187 292</b>
Crop production (111) .....	17 652	4 542 622	2 218 665	787 096	56 871	4 847 417	4 792 186	55 231
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	1 118	297 131	61 259	352 532	28 241	16 169	15 095	1 074
Soybean farming (11111) .....	71	19 794	10 614	229 663	29 182	2 294	(D)	(D)
Oilseed (except soybean) farming (11112) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dry pea and bean farming (11113) .....	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wheat farming (11114) .....	6	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Corn farming (11115) .....	346	96 720	31 501	404 489	38 170	9 099	8 555	544
Rice farming (11116) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other grain farming (11119) .....	691	178 060	18 545	339 393	23 259	4 675	4 337	338
Vegetable and melon farming (11121) .....	1 250	546 226	298 185	1 094 577	148 121	1 189 442	1 180 908	8 534
Potato farming (111211) .....	91	59 104	43 743	1 312 709	284 348	94 040	93 900	140
Other vegetable (except potato) and melon farming (111219) .....	1 159	487 122	254 442	1 074 501	135 583	1 095 402	1 087 008	8 394
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	8 245	1 912 447	941 609	817 459	45 324	1 452 592	1 429 172	23 419
Orange groves (11131) .....	5 387	1 527 746	754 838	996 105	50 395	1 125 431	1 107 813	17 618
Citrus (except orange) groves (11132) .....	921	154 724	116 527	650 267	52 804	136 660	136 145	515
Noncitrus fruit and tree nut farming (11133) .....	1 937	229 977	70 244	392 556	27 273	190 500	185 214	5 286
Apple orchards (111331) .....	5	126	19	—	—	—	—	—
Grape vineyards (111332) .....	75	1 705	616	185 169	10 512	310	(D)	(D)
Strawberry farming (111333) .....	147	12 408	6 639	473 038	79 513	81 518	81 319	199
Berry (except strawberry) farming (111334) .....	199	9 360	1 224	184 210	15 056	2 718	(D)	(D)
Tree nut farming (111335) .....	140	13 588	4 063	326 915	26 620	1 462	1 329	133
Fruit and tree nut combination farming (111336) .....	11	624	189	326 256	19 167	272	272	—
Other noncitrus fruit farming (111339) .....	1 360	192 166	57 494	432 296	24 679	104 220	99 316	4 905
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	4 902	348 394	122 233	425 588	52 399	1 431 084	1 426 538	4 546
Food crops grown under cover (11141) .....	69	1 954	581	1 022 952	176 235	62 091	(D)	(D)
Nursery and floriculture production (11142) .....	4 833	346 440	121 652	420 788	51 404	1 368 992	(D)	(D)
Nursery and tree production (111421) .....	2 484	262 270	93 761	405 184	44 991	529 950	526 231	3 719
Floriculture production (111422) .....	2 349	84 170	27 891	439 668	59 163	839 043	(D)	(D)
Other crop farming (1119) .....	2 137	1 438 424	795 379	1 525 143	74 358	758 131	740 472	17 659
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	137	67 545	16 235	635 499	115 379	25 478	23 636	1 843
Cotton farming (11192) .....	202	119 856	79 654	772 254	125 689	39 189	38 250	939
Sugarcane farming (11193) .....	105	541 763	424 201	20 673 483	428 501	452 868	452 179	688
Hay farming (11194) .....	1 018	199 345	68 068	347 399	30 675	16 137	13 638	2 499
All other crop farming (11199) .....	675	509 915	207 221	1 696 299	77 218	224 459	212 769	11 690
Animal production (112) .....	17 147	5 911 595	217 037	531 159	23 988	1 157 137	25 076	1 132 061
Cattle ranching and farming (1121) .....	12 645	5 590 348	192 126	628 136	23 090	650 661	19 412	631 249
Beef cattle ranching and farming, including feedlots (11211) .....	12 349	5 397 263	149 413	615 063	19 966	237 715	16 930	220 785
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	12 040	5 359 103	147 948	622 986	20 054	234 482	16 880	217 603
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	309	38 160	1 465	255 172	15 986	3 233	51	3 182
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	296	193 085	42 713	1 127 798	142 464	412 946	2 482	410 464
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	468	30 165	4 319	171 392	15 816	7 083	495	6 588
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	560	66 964	11 776	384 109	59 351	352 742	4 467	348 275
Chicken egg production (11231) .....	176	19 145	2 523	374 545	74 264	158 871	1 624	157 248
Broilers and other meat-type chicken production (11232) .....	272	41 661	9 144	447 002	61 178	170 238	2 815	167 423
Turkey production (11233) .....	3	53	(D)	—	—	1	—	1
Poultry hatcheries (11234) .....	10	220	(D)	574 003	136 982	22 066	—	22 066
Other poultry production (11239) .....	99	5 885	(D)	215 702	17 697	1 566	29	1 537
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	272	14 351	565	207 194	18 630	1 136	23	1 113
Sheep farming (11241) .....	56	8 865	198	280 247	13 321	224	(D)	(D)
Goat farming (11242) .....	216	5 486	367	183 263	20 369	913	(D)	(D)
Animal aquaculture (1125) .....	347	15 125	109	153 834	29 317	52 072	51	52 021
Other animal production (1129) .....	2 855	194 642	8 142	275 322	22 677	93 443	627	92 816
Apiculture (11291) .....	384	19 425	520	121 905	29 431	13 335	156	13 179
Horse and other equine production (11292) .....	2 276	167 710	7 225	315 444	22 179	73 994	387	73 607
Fur-bearing animal and rabbit production (11293) .....	32	505	(D)	122 942	6 617	284	(D)	(D)
All other animal production (11299) .....	163	7 002	(D)	141 030	19 074	5 830	(D)	(D)

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table 19. Selected Characteristics of Reservations and Abnormal Farms: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	1997		1992	Characteristics	1997		1992
	Reser-vations	Abnormal farms	Reser-vations and abnormal farms <sup>1</sup>		Reser-vations	Abnormal farms	Reser-vations and abnormal farms <sup>1</sup>
Farms ..... number ..	2	25	38	Total farm production expenses <sup>2 3</sup> ..... \$1,000..	(D)	5 257	8 020
Land in farms <sup>2</sup> ..... acres ..	(D)	37 876	129 438	Average per farm ..... dollars..	(D)	210 288	211 040
Average size of farm ..... acres ..	(D)	1 515	3 406				
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>2 3</sup> ..... \$1,000..	(D)	60 028	137 887	Government payments received <sup>2</sup> ..... farms..	2	3	2
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(D)	2 401 115	3 628 603	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)
Average per acre ..... dollars..	(D)	1 585	1 065	Average per farm ..... dollars..			
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>2 3</sup> ..... \$1,000..	(D)	3 564	5 503	Other farm-related income <sup>2 3</sup> ..... farms..	1	—	2
Land in farms according to use: <sup>2</sup>				\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)
Total cropland ..... farms..	2	21	35	Average per farm ..... dollars..			
acres..	(D)	7 397	11 914				
Harvested cropland ..... farms..	2	19	32				
acres..	(D)	5 485	7 493				
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing ..... farms..	1	5	13	Tenure of operator:			
acres..	(D)	1 120	2 621	Full owners .....	—	24	30
Other cropland ..... farms..	—	7	20	Part owners .....	2	1	3
acres..	—	792	1 800	Tenants .....	—	—	5
Total woodland ..... farms..	1	9	24				
acres..	(D)	(D)	66 037	Farms by North American Industry Classification System:			
Woodland pastured ..... farms..	1	4	9	Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	—	—	(NA)
acres..	(D)	739	10 229	Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	1	4	(NA)
Woodland not pastured ..... farms..	1	7	20	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	—	6	(NA)
acres..	(D)	(D)	55 808	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	—	3	(NA)
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured ..... farms..	2	9	15	Other crop farming (1119) .....	1	2	(NA)
acres..	(D)	9 098	37 191	Tobacco farming (11191) .....	—	—	(NA)
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	2	20	25	Cotton farming (11192) .....	—	—	(NA)
acres..	(D)	(D)	14 296	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1	2	(NA)
Irrigated land ..... farms..	2	14	24				
acres..	(D)	1 068	17 422	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	—	6	(NA)
Market value of agricultural products sold <sup>2</sup> ..... \$1,000..	(D)	6 434	10 738	Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	—	—	(NA)
Average per farm ..... dollars..	(D)	257 344	282 590	Dairy cattle and milk production (112121) .....	—	2	(NA)
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ..... \$1,000..	(D)	3 733	5 263	Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	—	1	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products ..... \$1,000..	(D)	2 701	5 476	Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	—	1	(NA)
				Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	—	—	(NA)
				Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	—	—	(NA)

<sup>1</sup>In 1992 reservations were included in abnormal farms.

<sup>2</sup>Data have been adjusted to exclude the agricultural activity of American Indians farming on reservations that were counted individually.

<sup>3</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table 20. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
<b>INVENTORY</b>									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text) .....	1 203	12 605 047	1 454	10 802 573	<b>SALES</b>				
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	1 157	11 608 529	1 404	9 370 984	Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	214	5 665 111	291	5 612 617
Farms with inventory of—					Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old .....	77	2 515 564	97	3 469 142
1 to 49 .....	994	14 503	1 180	16 822					
50 to 99 .....	53	3 162	61	3 535					
100 to 399 .....	25	4 084	44	6 315					
400 to 3,199 .....	4	2 955	5	3 450	Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	321	105 967 210	363	97 854 566
3,200 to 9,999 .....	8	48 766	13	95 800	Farms by number sold—				
10,000 to 19,999 .....	20	277 386	26	374 846	1 to 1,999 .....	45	(D)	43	5 658
20,000 to 49,999 .....	27	883 311	45	1 445 794	2,000 to 15,999 .....	3	22 000	5	53 200
50,000 to 99,999 .....	10	650 970	14	935 365	16,000 to 29,999 .....	2	(D)	3	68 000
100,000 or more .....	16	9 723 392	16	6 489 057	30,000 to 59,999 .....	5	206 650	7	317 964
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old (see text) .....	237	996 518	311	1 431 589	60,000 to 99,999 .....	22	1 839 953	19	1 433 950
Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old .....	149	1 456 768	155	958 554	100,000 to 199,999 .....	41	6 344 102	80	12 188 502
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	477	19 973 361	426	15 483 465	200,000 to 299,999 .....	41	10 198 667	58	14 360 413
Turkeys .....	231	1 756	263	1 741	300,000 to 499,999 .....	87	32 749 032	97	36 782 769
For slaughter .....	112	1 024	101	1 045	500,000 or more .....	75	54 564 247	51	32 644 110
Hens kept for breeding .....	165	732	197	696	750,000 or more .....	57	33 809 828	43	24 949 110
Ducks, geese, and other poultry .....	648	(X)	509	(X)	Ducks, geese, and other poultry .....	226	(X)	162	(X)

**Table 21. Layers, Pullets, and Pullet Chicks—Number Sold: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	214	5 665 111	291	5 612 617	Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old .....	77	2 515 564	97	3 469 142
Farms by number sold—					Farms by number sold—				
1 to 99 .....	130	2 377	148	3 072	1 to 1,999 .....	46	3 945	54	4 565
100 to 399 .....	5	691	17	2 588	2,000 to 15,999 .....	3	19 000	4	34 340
400 to 3,199 .....	4	7 700	6	5 000	16,000 to 29,999 .....	3	80 000	3	78 000
3,200 to 9,999 .....	8	45 094	18	110 260	30,000 to 59,999 .....	8	333 000	16	679 371
10,000 to 19,999 .....	21	280 490	43	604 892	60,000 to 99,999 .....	8	656 619	10	741 361
20,000 to 49,999 .....	27	809 598	38	1 129 974	100,000 or more .....	9	1 423 000	10	1 931 505
50,000 to 99,999 .....	7	501 414	10	689 548					
100,000 or more .....	12	4 017 747	11	3 067 283					

**Table 22. Poultry—Inventory and Sales by Farms With Layers and Pullets 13 Weeks Old and Older: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Inventory											
	Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text)								Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old	Broilers and other meat-type chickens		
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number				
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1 203</b>	<b>12 605 047</b>	<b>1 157</b>	<b>11 608 529</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>996 518</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>971 713</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>4 446</b>		
Farms with inventory of—												
1 to 49 .....	998	15 270	968	13 607	166	1 663	83	923	144	1 973		
50 to 99 .....	74	4 590	72	3 641	38	949	21	1 245	14	291		
100 to 399 .....	32	5 461	32	4 501	14	960	9	820	6	(D)		
400 to 1,599 .....	4	2 955	4	2 955	—	—	—	—	1	(D)		
1,600 to 3,199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
3,200 to 9,999 .....	10	64 766	8	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	—	—		
10,000 to 19,999 .....	22	302 386	20	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	1	(D)		
20,000 to 49,999 .....	33	1 079 811	27	883 311	7	196 500	1	(D)	—	—		
50,000 to 99,999 .....	14	935 970	10	650 970	4	285 000	2	(D)	—	—		
100,000 or more .....	16	10 193 838	16	9 723 392	4	470 446	6	802 898	—	—		
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	26	485 055	311	19 968 915		
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Sales											
	Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks (see text)								Broilers and other meat-type chickens	Poultry and poultry products		
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old							
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number				
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>6 873 104</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>13 029</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>154 383</b>		
Farms with inventory of—												
1 to 49 .....	100	1 894	86	1 472	28	422	27	735	270	83		
50 to 99 .....	23	1 486	21	750	7	736	2	(D)	48	36		
100 to 399 .....	11	3 681	9	3 499	5	182	4	102	32	71		
400 to 1,599 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	110		
1,600 to 3,199 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
3,200 to 9,999 .....	10	65 594	8	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	10	652		
10,000 to 19,999 .....	22	284 228	20	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	22	3 110		
20,000 to 49,999 .....	32	1 238 674	26	924 674	6	314 000	—	—	33	12 783		
50,000 to 99,999 .....	14	1 597 000	10	930 000	5	667 000	—	—	14	10 663		
100,000 or more .....	14	3 680 547	12	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	16	126 874		
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	41	1 307 571	22	(D)	20	(D)	286	105 954 181	493	193 617		

**Table 23. Turkeys—Number Sold: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Turkeys	Total		Turkeys sold for slaughter		Sales of hens kept for breeding	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total sold .....	52	783	32	637	24	146
Farms by number of turkeys sold—						
1 to 1,999 .....	52	783	32	637	24	146
2,000 to 7,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
8,000 to 15,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
16,000 to 29,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
30,000 to 59,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

**Table 24. Cattle and Calves—Inventory: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Cattle and calves .....	15 849	1 808 900	15 522	1 783 968	Cows and heifers that had calved—Con.				
Farms with—					Milk cows .....				
1 to 9 .....	3 578	20 164	3 469	19 031	1 to 9 .....	666	159 614	877	171 675
10 to 19 .....	3 412	46 779	3 270	45 159	10 to 19 .....	371	947	512	1 144
20 to 49 .....	4 081	124 711	3 941	121 215	20 to 49 .....	39	465	49	595
50 to 99 .....	2 060	139 875	2 087	142 008	50 to 99 .....	26	786	29	901
100 to 199 .....	1 190	160 664	1 251	170 065	100 to 199 .....	31	2 349	33	2 353
200 to 499 .....	891	268 788	884	265 873	200 to 499 .....	28	4 184	58	7 980
500 to 999 .....	350	235 575	346	236 672	500 to 999 .....	73	23 287	94	29 027
1,000 to 2,499 .....	196	294 039	195	289 508	1,000 to 2,499 .....	61	41 066	63	41 493
2,500 to 4,999 .....	62	212 077	51	179 654	2,500 or more .....	37	86 530	39	88 182
5,000 or more .....	29	306 228	28	314 783					
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	13 930	1 162 686	13 862	1 134 202	Heifers and heifer calves .....	11 905	370 425	11 889	394 693
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 9 .....	4 629	22 984	4 688	22 674	1 to 9 .....	6 982	28 011	6 735	27 929
10 to 19 .....	2 804	37 727	2 809	37 779	10 to 19 .....	2 232	28 738	2 265	29 459
20 to 49 .....	3 110	93 000	3 041	91 987	20 to 49 .....	1 521	43 769	1 737	49 600
50 to 99 .....	1 472	97 354	1 400	94 529	50 to 99 .....	577	37 887	552	35 420
100 to 199 .....	815	108 108	857	112 847	100 to 199 .....	281	36 164	316	41 159
200 to 499 .....	673	196 900	664	196 571	200 to 499 .....	190	53 390	186	54 378
500 to 999 .....	246	164 950	231	155 179	500 to 999 .....	77	51 792	58	40 203
1,000 to 2,499 .....	137	206 745	128	187 512	1,000 to 2,499 .....	34	44 102	29	42 878
2,500 or more .....	44	234 918	44	235 124	2,500 or more .....	11	46 572	11	73 658
Beef cows .....	13 600	1 003 072	13 423	962 527	Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	13 574	275 789	13 153	255 073
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 9 .....	4 552	22 651	4 558	22 226	1 to 9 .....	9 514	30 858	9 390	30 142
10 to 19 .....	2 775	37 309	2 782	37 385	10 to 19 .....	1 778	22 628	1 700	21 931
20 to 49 .....	3 103	92 730	3 026	91 540	20 to 49 .....	1 338	38 578	1 211	34 768
50 to 99 .....	1 448	95 418	1 371	92 471	50 to 99 .....	491	32 399	425	27 628
100 to 199 .....	790	104 432	808	105 625	100 to 199 .....	242	30 657	216	28 310
200 to 499 .....	599	173 165	575	168 960	200 to 499 .....	138	37 265	151	44 559
500 to 999 .....	190	127 318	170	114 996	500 to 999 .....	48	31 364	38	26 406
1,000 to 2,499 .....	108	163 443	97	140 121	1,000 to 2,499 .....	19	24 840	18	26 702
2,500 or more .....	35	186 606	36	189 203	2,500 or more .....	6	27 200	4	14 627

**Table 25. Cattle and Calves—Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Number sold	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Cattle and calves .....	14 600	869 219	301 660	14 127	897 455	322 664
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	6 239	29 713	9 476	5 976	28 104	9 521
10 to 19 .....	2 929	39 273	11 819	2 843	38 105	12 886
20 to 49 .....	2 887	87 594	26 554	2 656	80 267	27 061
50 to 99 .....	1 146	77 617	24 976	1 160	78 946	27 153
100 to 199 .....	630	85 324	28 050	703	96 533	34 596
200 to 499 .....	485	148 608	50 259	495	148 486	52 101
500 to 999 .....	165	112 340	40 346	173	118 018	42 363
1,000 to 2,499 .....	87	129 019	48 524	88	131 841	52 929
2,500 to 4,999 .....	23	76 783	29 713	23	76 836	30 052
5,000 or more .....	9	82 948	31 941	10	100 319	34 002
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more .....	7 390	297 048	151 533	8 447	325 094	153 933
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	4 716	16 282	7 864	5 468	18 786	8 501
10 to 19 .....	989	12 692	5 900	1 174	15 271	6 928
20 to 49 .....	826	24 169	11 176	888	26 187	11 815
50 to 99 .....	338	22 799	11 511	386	25 431	12 178
100 to 199 .....	213	28 252	14 346	249	33 069	16 724
200 to 499 .....	207	59 959	29 468	169	50 574	24 565
500 to 999 .....	57	38 043	20 257	65	44 260	22 798
1,000 to 2,499 .....	34	47 033	23 794	36	49 054	26 017
2,500 to 4,999 .....	7	23 919	13 239	8	25 295	11 608
5,000 or more .....	3	23 900	13 976	4	37 167	12 799
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates for slaughter .....	578	5 922	3 955	823	23 784	12 186
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	457	1 394	934	561	1 762	860
10 to 19 .....	55	(D)	(D)	100	1 321	632
20 to 49 .....	39	1 185	794	80	2 344	1 040
50 to 99 .....	18	1 131	828	37	2 487	1 283
100 to 199 .....	7	880	638	22	3 086	1 635
200 to 499 .....	2	(D)	(D)	15	3 884	2 004
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	5	3 384	1 798
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	2	(D)	(D)
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds .....	12 649	572 171	150 127	12 036	572 361	168 731
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9 .....	5 844	26 652	6 748	5 724	24 981	7 211
10 to 19 .....	2 509	33 256	8 454	2 301	30 651	8 857
20 to 49 .....	2 402	71 495	18 133	2 086	62 294	18 199
50 to 99 .....	879	57 928	15 015	875	59 026	17 252
100 to 199 .....	501	66 052	17 182	517	68 402	19 603
200 to 499 .....	348	104 083	27 523	363	107 675	31 011
500 to 999 .....	97	62 506	16 598	108	73 094	21 919
1,000 or more .....	69	150 199	40 475	62	146 238	44 679

**Table 26. Cattle and Calves Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Herd size	Cattle and calves inventory							Cattle and calves sales			
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>15 849</b>	<b>1 808 900</b>	<b>13 930</b>	<b>1 162 686</b>	<b>11 905</b>	<b>370 425</b>	<b>13 574</b>	<b>275 789</b>	<b>14 265</b>	<b>852 622</b>	<b>295 570</b>
Farms with herd size of—											
1 to 9 .....	3 578	20 164	2 602	9 956	2 037	5 238	2 557	4 970	1 995	11 238	3 563
10 to 19 .....	3 412	46 779	2 950	25 592	2 563	11 630	2 950	9 557	3 412	25 594	8 115
20 to 49 .....	4 081	124 711	3 776	75 799	3 228	26 778	3 680	22 134	4 081	60 027	18 519
50 to 99 .....	2 060	139 875	1 962	89 002	1 692	27 896	1 877	22 977	2 060	67 800	21 239
100 to 199 .....	1 190	160 664	1 144	102 584	1 041	30 795	1 112	27 285	1 190	75 234	23 847
200 to 499 .....	891	268 788	866	179 192	753	47 591	812	42 005	891	125 676	41 283
500 to 999 .....	350	235 575	347	164 356	312	41 708	319	29 511	350	114 678	38 872
1,000 to 2,499 .....	196	294 039	192	191 730	189	63 755	181	38 554	195	141 667	54 728
2,500 to 4,999 .....	62	212 077	62	136 968	61	45 378	58	29 731	62	103 832	38 967
5,000 or more .....	29	306 228	29	187 507	29	69 656	28	49 065	29	126 876	46 439
No cattle and calves herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	335	16 597	6 089

**Table 27. Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Cow herd <sup>1</sup>	Cattle and calves inventory								Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>13 930</b>	<b>1 762 702</b>	<b>13 930</b>	<b>1 162 686</b>	<b>10 357</b>	<b>342 663</b>	<b>11 996</b>	<b>257 353</b>	<b>12 919</b>	<b>825 039</b>	<b>286 011</b>
Farms with cow herd size of—											
1 to 9 .....	4 629	46 281	4 629	22 984	3 166	11 992	3 765	11 305	3 618	24 822	8 965
10 to 19 .....	2 804	62 479	2 804	37 727	2 055	13 205	2 443	11 547	2 804	29 984	9 373
20 to 49 .....	3 110	144 999	3 110	93 000	2 352	28 674	2 753	23 325	3 110	70 512	22 326
50 to 99 .....	1 472	146 307	1 472	97 354	1 154	26 025	1 298	22 928	1 472	65 313	20 004
100 to 199 .....	815	165 635	815	108 108	692	30 184	751	27 343	815	77 685	25 587
200 to 499 .....	673	287 753	673	196 900	547	49 739	604	41 114	673	134 080	44 143
500 to 999 .....	246	232 844	246	164 950	217	41 956	218	25 938	246	110 739	38 744
1,000 to 2,499.....	137	314 420	137	206 745	131	63 469	123	44 206	137	155 288	59 523
2,500 or more .....	44	361 984	44	234 918	43	77 419	41	49 647	44	156 616	57 346
No cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	1 919	46 198	(X)	(X)	1 548	27 762	1 578	18 436	1 681	44 180	15 648

<sup>1</sup>Cow herd includes beef cows, milk cows, and heifers that had calved.

**Table 28. Beef Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory										Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves			
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves							
			Total		Beef cows									
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)		
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>13 600</b>	<b>1 594 108</b>	<b>13 600</b>	<b>1 037 665</b>	<b>13 600</b>	<b>1 003 072</b>	<b>10 121</b>	<b>303 450</b>	<b>11 761</b>	<b>252 993</b>				
Farms with beef herd size of—														
1 to 9 .....	4 552	47 914	4 552	24 547	4 552	22 651	3 119	12 267	3 708	11 100				
10 to 19 .....	2 775	62 241	2 775	37 694	2 775	37 309	2 030	13 047	2 419	11 500				
20 to 49 .....	3 103	153 059	3 103	98 387	3 103	92 730	2 358	31 392	2 751	23 280				
50 to 99 .....	1 448	147 581	1 448	98 399	1 448	95 418	1 132	26 159	1 282	23 023				
100 to 199 .....	790	165 420	790	107 813	790	104 432	673	30 130	733	27 477				
200 to 499 .....	599	265 568	599	180 008	599	173 165	497	45 350	550	40 210				
500 to 999 .....	190	190 078	190	131 492	190	127 318	173	32 715	181	25 871				
1,000 to 2,499.....	108	255 119	108	163 444	108	163 443	105	49 647	103	42 028				
2,500 or more .....	35	307 128	35	195 881	35	186 606	34	62 743	34	48 504				
No beef cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	2 249	214 792	330	125 021	(X)	(X)	1 784	66 975	1 813	22 796				
Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves sales										Calves			
	Total			Cattle				Fattened on grain and concentrates						
				Total		Fattened on grain and concentrates								
Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Value (\$1,000)		
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>12 641</b>	<b>752 891</b>	<b>267 084</b>	<b>6 312</b>	<b>255 731</b>	<b>130 833</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>4 858</b>	<b>3 296</b>	<b>11 092</b>	<b>497 160</b>	<b>136 251</b>		
Farms with beef herd size of—														
1 to 9 .....	3 593	24 979	8 990	1 802	8 991	5 181	193	861	557	2 910	15 988	3 809		
10 to 19 .....	2 775	29 862	9 305	1 345	7 764	3 850	105	463	313	2 464	22 098	5 455		
20 to 49 .....	3 103	73 394	23 301	1 470	21 750	10 229	96	1 402	913	2 833	51 644	13 072		
50 to 99 .....	1 448	66 293	20 247	677	15 751	7 504	44	802	552	1 326	50 542	12 742		
100 to 199 .....	790	76 817	25 174	416	21 420	11 031	22	533	387	726	55 397	14 142		
200 to 499 .....	599	126 522	42 333	364	40 028	19 191	11	440	298	536	86 494	23 142		
500 to 999 .....	190	92 213	33 474	127	31 317	15 759	3	(D)	(D)	175	60 896	17 716		
1,000 to 2,499.....	108	133 147	53 105	81	60 367	31 815	2	(D)	(D)	89	72 780	21 290		
2,500 or more .....	35	129 664	51 154	30	48 343	26 274	—	—	—	33	81 321	24 881		
No beef cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	1 959	116 328	34 576	1 078	41 317	20 699	102	1 064	660	1 557	75 011	13 876		

**Table 29. Milk Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Milk cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory									
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
			Total		Milk cows					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>666</b>	<b>245 889</b>	<b>666</b>	<b>178 562</b>	<b>666</b>	<b>159 614</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>56 274</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>11 053</b>
Farms with milk cow herd size of—										
1 to 9 .....	371	14 332	371	9 451	371	947	243	2 478	300	2 403
10 to 19 .....	39	1 953	39	1 551	39	465	23	(D)	30	(D)
20 to 49 .....	26	2 417	26	1 712	26	786	15	229	18	476
50 to 99 .....	31	3 802	31	2 651	31	2 349	28	(D)	20	(D)
100 to 199 .....	28	6 669	28	4 456	28	4 184	24	1 634	21	579
200 to 499 .....	73	30 483	73	23 646	73	23 287	48	5 686	54	1 151
500 to 999 .....	61	54 120	61	42 164	61	41 066	49	10 912	42	1 044
1,000 or more .....	37	132 113	37	92 931	37	86 530	34	34 179	26	5 003
No milk cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	15 183	1 563 011	13 264	984 124	(X)	(X)	11 441	314 151	13 063	264 736
Cattle and calves sales										
Milk cow herd	Total			Cattle			Calves			Dairy product sales
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
	<b>579</b>	<b>106 212</b>	<b>29 168</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>37 116</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>69 096</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>378 503</b>	
Farms with milk cow herd size of—										
1 to 9 .....	284	7 208	2 484	144	2 500	245	4 708	3	(D)	
10 to 19 .....	39	968	246	18	112	29	856	39	(D)	
20 to 49 .....	26	2 249	258	14	216	21	2 033	26	1 432	
50 to 99 .....	31	1 285	371	21	447	27	838	31	4 630	
100 to 199 .....	28	1 699	549	22	798	19	901	28	9 684	
200 to 499 .....	73	12 245	3 534	64	5 449	59	6 796	73	54 565	
500 to 999 .....	61	25 419	7 786	49	9 730	54	15 689	60	91 452	
1,000 or more .....	37	55 139	13 940	29	17 864	35	37 275	37	215 822	
No milk cow herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	14 021	763 007	272 492	7 029	259 932	12 160	503 075	11	3 928	

**Table 30. Cattle and Calves—Number Sold Per Farm by Sales: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Number sold	Cattle and calves			Cattle						Calves weighing less than 500 pounds		
				Total			Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>14 600</b>	<b>869 219</b>	<b>301 660</b>	<b>7 390</b>	<b>297 048</b>	<b>151 533</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>5 922</b>	<b>3 955</b>	<b>12 649</b>	<b>572 171</b>	<b>150 127</b>
Farms by number of cattle and calves sold—												
1 to 9 .....	6 239	29 713	9 476	2 964	8 215	4 121	289	677	454	5 015	21 498	5 355
10 to 19 .....	2 929	39 273	11 819	1 422	9 063	4 255	112	568	368	2 687	30 210	7 565
20 to 49 .....	2 887	87 594	26 554	1 427	20 403	9 558	90	922	607	2 653	67 191	16 996
50 to 99 .....	1 146	77 617	24 976	642	20 359	10 139	53	1 318	915	1 047	57 258	14 836
100 to 199 .....	630	85 324	28 050	378	24 390	11 835	19	921	705	572	60 934	16 215
200 to 499 .....	485	148 608	50 259	328	51 669	25 114	10	932	674	425	96 939	25 145
500 to 999 .....	165	112 340	40 346	132	43 730	22 561	5	584	232	149	68 610	17 785
1,000 to 2,499.....	87	129 019	48 524	69	50 656	25 964	—	—	—	71	78 363	22 560
2,500 or more .....	32	159 731	61 655	28	68 563	37 985	—	—	—	30	91 168	23 670

**Table 31. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Hogs and pigs	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total hogs and pigs .....	1 431	50 309	1 926	114 899
Farms with—				
1 to 24 .....	1 118	7 440	1 288	9 433
25 to 49 .....	132	4 455	256	8 468
50 to 99 .....	80	5 184	159	10 022
100 to 199 .....	53	6 847	108	14 255
200 to 499 .....	33	8 843	82	24 400
500 to 999 .....	9	6 026	18	10 735
1,000 to 1,999 .....	4	(D)	11	15 218
2,000 to 4,999 .....	2	(D)	3	(D)
5,000 or more .....	—	—	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	802	9 062	1 243	17 387
Farms with—				
1 to 24 .....	733	3 801	1 095	6 468
25 to 49 .....	45	1 458	83	2 683
50 to 99 .....	13	811	39	2 453
100 to 199 .....	5	(D)	19	2 258
200 to 499 .....	5	1 573	6	(D)
500 or more .....	1	(D)	1	(D)
Other hogs and pigs .....	1 303	41 247	1 758	97 512
Farms with—				
1 to 24 .....	1 041	6 268	1 233	8 873
25 to 49 .....	110	3 768	205	7 013
50 to 99 .....	64	4 127	135	8 982
100 to 199 .....	53	7 034	87	11 725
200 to 499 .....	23	6 973	71	20 969
500 to 999 .....	6	3 773	14	8 584
1,000 or more .....	6	9 304	13	31 366

**Table 32. Hogs and Pigs—Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Hogs and pigs	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total hogs and pigs sold .....	971	96 512	7 997	1 551	200 375	17 494
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	534	5 368	555	747	7 768	751
25 to 49 .....	181	6 218	611	296	10 443	922
50 to 99 .....	108	7 094	654	203	13 547	1 066
100 to 199 .....	74	9 672	907	109	14 949	1 254
200 to 499 .....	47	13 764	1 325	131	38 056	3 388
500 to 999 .....	12	8 378	771	37	26 301	2 282
1,000 to 1,999 .....	7	9 627	842	13	18 090	1 430
2,000 to 4,999 .....	5	16 792	1 514	11	29 924	2 020
5,000 or more .....	3	19 599	818	4	41 297	4 382
5,000 to 7,499 .....	3	19 599	818	2	(D)	(D)
7,500 or more .....	—	—	—	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold .....	189	36 635	1 394	451	46 401	1 482
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....	55	266	8	98	504	16
10 to 24 .....	47	725	23	132	2 196	65
25 to 49 .....	28	1 018	34	82	2 870	81
50 to 99 .....	27	1 858	64	68	4 583	134
100 to 199 .....	14	1 814	64	33	4 559	141
200 to 499 .....	8	2 168	75	22	6 088	211
500 to 999 .....	3	1 842	75	7	4 690	142
1,000 or more .....	7	26 944	1 051	9	20 911	692
1,000 to 1,999 .....	2	(D)	(D)	6	10 074	364
2,000 or more .....	5	(D)	(D)	3	10 837	328
Hogs and pigs other than feeder pigs sold .....	886	59 877	6 603	1 374	153 974	16 012
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....	521	4 890	581	757	6 984	825
25 to 49 .....	155	5 273	581	241	8 454	921
50 to 99 .....	86	5 544	617	140	9 233	972
100 to 199 .....	64	8 243	876	82	11 400	1 117
200 to 499 .....	42	12 041	1 245	101	29 548	3 063
500 to 999 .....	10	6 878	747	33	23 532	2 222
1,000 to 1,999 .....	5	6 750	734	11	15 240	1 409
2,000 to 4,999 .....	3	10 258	1 222	6	17 176	1 660
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	3	32 407	3 824
5,000 to 7,499 .....	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)
7,500 or more .....	—	—	—	2	(D)	(D)

**Table 33. Hogs and Pigs—Litters Farrowed: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Litters	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number of litters	Farms	Number of litters		
Litters farrowed between Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	857	12 427	1 336		24 594	
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....	658	2 069	933		3 030	
10 to 19 .....	98	1 259	164		2 075	
20 to 49 .....	67	2 005	155		4 667	
50 to 99 .....	14	(D)	44		2 875	
100 to 199 .....	10	1 294	19		2 370	
200 to 499 .....	6	1 888	17		4 686	
500 to 999 .....	3	1 779	3		(D)	
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	1		(D)	
Dec. 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	766	6 389	1 206		12 908	
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	651	6 038	1 022		11 686	

**Table 34. Hogs and Pigs Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Herd size	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total inventory .....	1 431	50 309	802	9 062	1 303	41 247	919	94 470	7 770	186	36 600	1 392
Farms with—												
1 to 24 .....	1 118	7 440	549	2 018	997	5 422	606	12 312	1 207	109	2 420	75
25 to 49 .....	132	4 455	106	963	127	3 492	132	(D)	(D)	27	(D)	57
50 to 99 .....	80	5 184	64	936	79	4 248	80	9 008	709	23	3 160	113
100 to 199 .....	53	6 847	42	1 016	52	5 831	53	10 922	1 046	11	1 432	(D)
200 to 499 .....	33	8 843	27	1 012	33	7 831	33	11 525	1 095	6	1 668	64
500 to 999 .....	9	6 026	8	907	9	5 119	9	13 944	1 060	6	7 960	376
1,000 to 1,999 .....	4	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)	4	21 999	1 088	3	18 104	647
2,000 to 4,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No hogs or pigs on Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	52	2 042	227	3	35	1

**Table 35. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory and Sales by Number Sold Per Farm: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Hogs and pigs	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total sold .....</b>	<b>919</b>	<b>48 739</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>8 807</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>39 932</b>	<b>971</b>	<b>96 512</b>	<b>7 997</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>36 635</b>	<b>1 394</b>
Farms with sales of—												
1 to 9 .....	244	1 751	137	446	224	1 305	266	1 092	130	39	171	5
10 to 24 .....	258	4 050	173	773	239	3 277	268	4 276	425	53	706	23
25 to 49 .....	174	4 018	153	867	149	3 151	181	6 218	611	29	869	28
50 to 99 .....	101	4 676	87	909	94	3 767	108	7 094	654	27	1 667	54
100 to 199 .....	71	6 208	58	977	65	5 231	74	9 672	907	16	1 783	60
200 to 499 .....	44	7 273	40	1 135	41	6 138	47	13 764	1 325	10	1 643	58
500 to 999 .....	12	4 243	10	467	12	3 776	12	8 378	771	4	1 650	57
1,000 or more .....	15	16 520	14	3 233	13	13 287	15	46 018	3 173	11	28 146	1 108
1,000 to 1,999 .....	7	3 484	6	626	5	2 858	7	9 627	842	5	3 620	182
2,000 to 4,999 .....	5	8 240	5	1 158	5	7 082	5	16 792	1 514	3	6 422	279
5,000 to 7,499 .....	3	4 796	3	1 449	3	3 347	3	19 599	818	3	18 104	647
7,500 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
None sold .....	512	1 570	130	255	466	1 315	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

**Table 36. Hogs and Pigs—Inventory, Sales, and Litters by Total Litters Farrowed: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Litters farrowed	Hogs and pigs inventory						Hogs and pigs sales					
	Total		Used or to be used for breeding		Other hogs and pigs		Total			Feeder pigs		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total litters farrowed .....	840	43 010	802	9 062	712	33 948	719	87 102	6 899	188	(D)	(D)
Farms with—												
1 to 9 .....	642	8 805	606	2 366	530	6 439	520	11 826	1 151	118	1 852	58
10 to 19 .....	98	4 920	96	1 121	89	3 799	98	8 164	686	35	2 389	84
20 to 49 .....	67	8 203	67	1 499	62	6 704	67	12 842	1 194	19	2 408	84
50 to 99 .....	13	(D)	13	(D)	13	(D)	14	(D)	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
100 to 199 .....	10	3 792	10	696	8	3 096	10	8 495	705	5	3 040	137
200 to 499 .....	6	6 546	6	1 113	6	5 433	6	14 813	1 191	4	7 360	337
500 to 999 .....	3	5 946	3	1 029	3	4 917	3	17 511	1 191	3	(D)	(D)
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
No litters farrowed .....	591	7 299	—	—	591	7 299	252	9 410	1 098	1	(D)	(D)
Litters farrowed between Dec. 1, 1996, and Nov. 30, 1997												
Litters farrowed	Total			Dec. 1, 1996, and May 31, 1997				June 1, 1997, and Nov. 30, 1997				
	Farms	Litters		Farms	Litters		Farms	Litters			Farms	Litters
	857	12 427		766	6 389		651	6 038				
Total litters farrowed .....												
Farms with—												
1 to 9 .....	658	2 069		568	1 151		460	918				
10 to 19 .....	98	1 259		97	642		94	617				
20 to 49 .....	67	2 005		67	1 043		63	962				
50 to 99 .....	14	(D)		14	(D)		14	(D)				
100 to 199 .....	10	1 294		10	635		10	659				
200 to 499 .....	6	1 888		6	944		6	944				
500 to 999 .....	3	1 779		3	909		3	870				
1,000 or more .....	1	(D)		1	(D)		1	(D)				

**Table 37. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1997				1992			
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number		Farms	Number
Sheep and lambs inventory .....	336	5 722		305	7 465			
Farms with—								
1 to 24 .....	273	1 934		245	1 777			
25 to 99 .....	54	2 316		47	2 313			
100 to 299 .....	9	1 472		11	(D)			
300 to 999 .....	—	—		1	(D)			
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—		1	(D)			
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—		—	—			
5,000 or more .....	—	—		—	—			
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	209	2 512		227	3 910			
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	121	2 611		152	4 579			
Pounds of wool .....	(X)	13 992		(X)	32 726			
Sheep and lambs sold .....	187	4 071		198	5 171			
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool (\$1,000) .....	209	288		216	292			

**Table 38. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Flock: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Sheep and lambs inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn				Sales				
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older				Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>5 722</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>2 512</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>(D)</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>3 697</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>261</b>		
Farms with inventory of—													
1 to 24 .....	273	1 934	165	926	76	780	4 539	110	1 083	132	66		
25 to 99 .....	54	2 316	40	1 157	40	1 245	7 088	54	1 583	54	99		
100 to 299 .....	9	1 472	4	429	4	(D)	(D)	9	1 031	9	96		
300 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
No sheep and lambs as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	(D)	(D)	14	374	14	28		

**Table 39. Ewes 1 Year Old or Older—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Ewe Flock: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Ewes 1 year old or older inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn			Sales			
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older					Sheep and lambs		Sheep, lambs, and wool	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>209</b>	<b>3 751</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>2 512</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>2 563</b>	<b>13 854</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>2 160</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>139</b>
Farms with inventory of—											
1 to 24 .....	190	2 243	190	1 357	97	1 362	8 255	101	1 382	122	90
25 to 99 .....	17	(D)	17	(D)	17	(D)	(D)	17	(D)	17	(D)
100 to 199 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
200 to 499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 2,499 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2,500 to 4,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
No ewes 1 year old or older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	127	1 971	(X)	(X)	5	48	138	67	1 911	68	149

**Table 40. Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Inventory		Sales	
	1997	1992	1997	1992
Horses and ponies.....	farms..	6 791	6 670	1 720
	number..	54 878	52 001	8 235
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	73 722
Mules, burros, and donkeys .....	farms..	504	417	51
	number..	2 265	1 031	113
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(D)
Colonies of bees.....	farms..	645	574	35
	number..	230 817	179 101	5 524
Honey sold.....	farms..	(X)	(X)	482
	pounds..	(X)	(X)	16 471 427
Bees and honey sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	486
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	13 461
Goats .....	farms..	1 287	1 111	574
	number..	24 209	16 681	13 122
Angora goats.....	farms..	21	27	6
	number..	(D)	130	(D)
Mohair sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	7
	pounds..	(X)	(X)	(D)
Angora goats and mohair sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	11
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(D)	12
Milk goats.....	farms..	174	183	55
	number..	(D)	2 253	(D)
Goats milk sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	33
	gallons..	(X)	(X)	94 926
Milk goats and goats milk sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	72
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	308
Other goats .....	farms..	1 177	975	535
	number..	19 039	14 298	9 575
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	494
Mink and their pelts .....	farms..	—	5	—
	number..	—	15	—
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(D)
Rabbits and their pelts.....	farms..	266	290	101
	number..	17 038	12 557	60 349
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	315
Fish and other aquaculture products sold .....	farms..	(X)	(X)	401
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	52 341
Other livestock and livestock products .....	farms..	147	140	113
\$1,000..	(X)	(X)	(X)	6 010

**Table 41. Specified Crops Harvested—Yield Per Acre Irrigated and Nonirrigated: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Entire crop irrigated			Part of crop irrigated			None of crop irrigated			
	Farms	Acres	Average yield per acre	Farms	Acres irrigated	Acres not irrigated	Average yield per acre	Farms	Acres	Average yield per acre
Corn for grain or seed (bushels) .....	132	12 246	111.4	35	2 347	2 368	83.8	1 101	52 662	69.9
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	35	13 462	15.5	18	3 118	3 660	14.1	95	8 076	11.9
Sorghum for grain or seed (bushels) .....	2	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	20	(D)	(D)
Wheat for grain (bushels) .....	11	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	177	15 465	36.4
Oats for grain (bushels) .....	5	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	118	5 381	54.0
Barley for grain (bushels) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rice (cwt) .....	10	10 691	41.7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	19	1 726	35.6	11	591	1 220	26.5	374	37 484	24.4
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	89	9 653	3 226.2	26	5 531	3 258	2 935.9	635	58 240	2 626.5
Dry edible beans, excluding dry limas (cwt) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales) .....	30	(D)	(D)	13	4 750	4 513	(D)	300	(D)	(D)
Tobacco (pounds) .....	115	5 559	2 424.9	—	—	—	—	71	1 323	2 051.1
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes (cwt) .....	115	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	24	(D)	(D)
Sugar beets for sugar (tons) .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar (tons) .....	98	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	52	(D)	(D)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) .....	7	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)	(D)	96	2 993	1.7
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (tons, dry) (see text) .....	148	10 581	2.8	37	2 900	4 031	3.7	3 717	195 491	2.7
Wild hay (tons, dry) .....	19	(D)	(D)	3	(D)	(D)	(D)	520	22 540	1.5
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	977	217 111	(X)	63	4 404	4 286	(X)	460	24 760	(X)
Land in orchards .....	6 205	801 776	(X)	445	93 295	29 849	(X)	2 729	56 990	(X)

**Table 42. Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	1997					1992				
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land	
				Farms	Acres				Farms	Acres
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	1 268	69 623	5 440 956	167	14 593	1 548	86 407	6 377 801	183	20 872
1 to 14 acres .....	460	2 996	170 062	37	136	555	4 041	199 689	47	270
15 to 24 acres .....	178	3 245	179 711	9	160	258	4 755	270 381	13	(D)
25 to 49 acres .....	232	7 652	526 972	16	519	295	9 975	651 605	31	1 031
50 to 99 acres .....	172	11 263	946 733	36	2 316	202	13 246	1 008 356	31	1 887
100 to 249 acres .....	179	(D)	(D)	55	6 377	183	26 450	2 168 025	46	6 075
250 to 499 acres .....	36	10 990	996 303	11	3 185	38	11 254	897 290	9	1 797
500 to 999 acres .....	10	6 865	510 550	3	1 900	11	6 790	393 057	1	(D)
1,000 acres or more .....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	6	9 896	789 398	5	8 796
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) .....	148	28 316	401 097	53	16 580	164	26 583	397 889	51	11 071
Wheat for grain (bushels) .....	189	16 231	585 557	12	681	181	14 625	637 331	4	375
1 to 14 acres .....	20	156	4 718	1	(D)	16	(D)	(D)	—	—
15 to 24 acres .....	22	422	13 044	2	(D)	25	447	14 524	—	—
25 to 49 acres .....	44	1 426	44 674	2	(D)	42	1 446	51 545	—	—
50 to 99 acres .....	48	3 366	125 630	4	314	55	3 794	172 671	3	(D)
100 to 249 acres .....	36	4 843	186 628	3	260	32	4 726	215 520	1	(D)
250 to 499 acres .....	19	6 018	210 863	—	—	9	2 773	121 664	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	(D)	—	—
1,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales) .....	343	93 504	128 600	43	(D)	220	41 685	57 264	15	2 952
1 to 14 acres .....	15	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	11	84	103	—	—
15 to 24 acres .....	10	192	184	1	(D)	19	380	490	—	—
25 to 49 acres .....	51	(D)	(D)	—	—	37	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
50 to 99 acres .....	43	3 002	3 995	5	322	31	(D)	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 249 acres .....	91	14 745	20 755	9	1 555	66	(D)	(D)	4	(D)
250 to 499 acres .....	71	23 839	33 100	12	3 347	37	(D)	(D)	5	1 279
500 acres or more .....	62	49 772	68 109	15	8 205	19	14 049	18 068	3	970
Tobacco (pounds) .....	186	6 881	16 191 980	115	5 559	233	6 928	16 727 554	136	5 251
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	3	2	3 907	—	—	5	3	5 410	1	(D)
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....	7	9	17 583	—	—	14	20	32 134	1	(D)
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....	8	17	28 296	—	—	7	15	35 900	1	(D)
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....	4	15	30 467	1	(D)	15	53	91 470	2	(D)
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....	30	218	491 229	9	(D)	37	258	624 982	16	107
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....	32	517	1 251 739	25	401	50	810	2 096 267	31	513
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	54	1 825	4 511 379	39	1 341	63	2 205	5 559 143	51	1 720
50.0 acres or more .....	48	4 279	9 857 380	41	3 743	42	3 563	8 282 248	33	2 901
Soybeans for beans (bushels) .....	404	41 021	1 025 521	30	2 317	415	49 072	1 523 227	6	(D)
1 to 14 acres .....	36	314	5 769	2	(D)	37	348	9 635	1	(D)
15 to 24 acres .....	43	801	17 588	—	—	42	756	23 204	—	—
25 to 49 acres .....	89	3 072	70 866	4	135	88	3 142	89 104	1	(D)
50 to 99 acres .....	95	6 532	153 440	7	338	88	6 090	209 234	—	—
100 to 249 acres .....	106	(D)	(D)	15	1 490	117	16 674	516 381	3	210
250 to 499 acres .....	25	8 398	234 657	1	(D)	27	8 479	273 815	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	8	4 431	97 585	1	(D)	11	6 723	200 354	—	—
1,000 acres or more .....	2	(D)	(D)	—	—	5	6 860	201 500	1	(D)
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	2	(D)	(D)	—	—	4	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
2,000 to 2,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
3,000 to 4,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes (cwt) .....	140	41 255	8 815 285	116	39 690	200	43 449	10 624 052	159	41 344
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	27	8	1 111	14	2	50	16	2 749	20	(D)
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	10	19	2 862	4	9	17	28	5 010	14	25
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	4	27	4 005	3	17	6	48	10 070	3	27
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	8	138	32 140	8	138	3	57	13 937	2	(D)
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	5	173	37 100	4	143	7	250	60 464	7	250
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	6	425	95 123	5	367	11	739	170 851	10	669
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	22	3 932	808 083	21	3 792	38	6 510	1 539 488	37	6 270
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	23	8 628	1 863 750	23	8 628	39	14 022	3 290 755	38	13 235
500.0 acres or more .....	35	27 905	5 971 111	34	26 594	29	21 778	5 530 728	28	20 825
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....	17	9 404	2 015 281	16	8 884	18	10 528	2 806 139	17	9 575
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....	11	9 374	2 111 355	11	8 583	8	6 910	1 738 589	8	6 910
1,000.0 acres or more .....	7	9 127	1 844 475	7	9 127	3	4 340	986 000	3	4 340
Sweetpotatoes (bushels) .....	36	1 575	444 383	18	1 495	48	757	109 885	23	386
Sugarcane for sugar (tons) .....	152	421 421	15 718 897	100	389 800	139	431 677	16 151 380	93	362 949
1 to 14 acres .....	28	(D)	(D)	5	19	5	44	1 738	4	(D)
15 to 24 acres .....	7	(D)	(D)	3	58	5	94	2 988	3	60
25 to 49 acres .....	11	394	12 839	5	154	5	194	8 670	2	(D)
50 to 99 acres .....	10	654	25 797	6	404	15	1 071	40 951	5	346
100 to 249 acres .....	17	2 853	102 986	14	2 277	16	3 083	108 177	10	1 989
250 to 499 acres .....	16	5 557	198 185	13	4 751	23	7 603	292 680	16	5 237
500 to 999 acres .....	20	14 080	499 102	17	11 787	26	17 174	650 173	16	10 300
1,000 acres or more .....	43	397 676	14 872 451	37	370 350	44	402 414	15 046 003	37	344 910
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	13	18 551	758 645	12	16 692	9	13 275	497 712	5	6 849
2,000 acres or more .....	30	379 125	14 113 806	25	353 658	35	389 139	14 548 291	32	338 061
Peanuts for nuts (pounds) .....	750	76 682	209 914 666	115	15 184	986	73 543	200 429 475	119	12 139
1 to 14 acres .....	157	1 194	2 576 344	13	(D)	243	(D)	(D)	19	(D)
15 to 24 acres .....	97	1 836	4 344 254	6	126	160	3 001	7 707 141	18	336
25 to 49 acres .....	136	4 603	10 644 604	18	583	205	7 083	18 419 540	19	700
50 to 99 acres .....	149	10 022	26 329 779	29	1 813	174	11 656	31 608 340	20	1 218
100 to 249 acres .....	144	21 444	55 995 946	27	3 365	140	21 054	58 632 022	26	3 018
250 to 499 acres .....	39	13 242	38 443 439	13	3 800	47	15 421	42 593 739	12	3 017
500 to 999 acres .....	24	15 633	39 318 300	8	3 160	15	9 883	25 057 500	4	1 521
1,000 acres or more .....	4	8 708	32 262 000	1	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	1	(D)
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (tons, dry) .....	4 798	265 985	697 410	254	19 727	4 892	270 404	664 029	302	24 540
1 to 14 acres .....	1 420	11 384	27 705	88	475	1 441	11 829	27 057	97	547
15 to 24 acres .....	999	18 491	47 944	21	376	1 015	18 707	41 638	30	526
25 to 49 acres .....	1 052	35 495	87 635	35	1 071	1 120	37 916	93 522	59	1 766
50 to 99 acres .....	666	43 603	108 183	36	1 987	664	43 320	100 938	29	1 409
100 to 249 acres .....	480	69 096	188 975	39	4 762	459	65 816	166 943	47	5 303
250 to 499 acres .....	127	42 489	110 393	23	4 741	130	42 756	107 507	21	5 474
500 to 999 acres .....	42	25 220	75 503	8	3 835	47	27 854	64 547	16	6 115
1,000 acres or more .....	12	20 207	51 072	4	2 480	16	22 206	61 877	3	3 400
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	10	(D)	(D)	3	(D)	13	15 706	(D)	2	(D)

**Table 42. Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	1997					1992				
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land	
				Farms	Acres				Farms	Acres
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) (tons, dry)—Con.										
1,000 acres or more—Con.										
2,000 to 2,999 acres.....	1	(D)	(D)	—	—	3	6 500	(D)	1	(D)
3,000 to 4,999 acres.....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
5,000 acres or more.....						—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	104	3 312	6 349	8	159	1 019	35 344	83 640	54	1 897
Small grain hay (tons, dry).....	241	8 754	18 596	19	1 111	205	7 940	13 439	12	1 550
Tame hay other than alfalfa, small grain, and wild hay (see text) (tons, dry).....	3 902	213 003	590 179	185	13 481	3 355	189 618	489 547	188	13 212
Wild hay (tons, dry).....	542	23 140	34 034	22	425	368	18 536	28 745	26	1 035
Grass silage, haylage, and green chop hay (tons, green).....	242	17 776	144 757	32	4 551	224	18 966	145 985	39	6 846
Field seed and grass seed crops.....	169	(D)	(X)	8	382	213	(D)	(X)	10	(D)
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text).....	1 500	250 562	(X)	1 040	221 516	1 988	299 867	(X)	1 301	257 400
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	54	26	(X)	36	17	48	22	(X)	36	16
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	337	860	(X)	206	508	400	987	(X)	234	546
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	306	2 505	(X)	171	1 345	453	3 701	(X)	244	1 804
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	132	2 452	(X)	82	1 470	183	3 415	(X)	81	1 433
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	185	6 389	(X)	125	4 186	288	10 038	(X)	178	5 719
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	129	8 839	(X)	106	7 174	206	13 717	(X)	163	10 220
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	156	23 233	(X)	122	17 713	181	28 046	(X)	160	24 557
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	79	26 712	(X)	75	25 243	100	34 310	(X)	85	28 848
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	39	23 018	(X)	38	22 238	38	23 012	(X)	34	19 487
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	31	26 778	(X)	30	24 944	23	20 040	(X)	22	17 870
1,000.0 acres or more.....	52	129 751	(X)	49	116 678	68	162 579	(X)	64	146 901
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres.....	25	34 187	(X)	24	32 432	42	54 373	(X)	40	50 988
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres.....	13	32 537	(X)	13	31 287	13	32 611	(X)	13	28 850
3,000.0 acres or more.....	14	63 027	(X)	12	52 959	13	75 595	(X)	11	67 063
3,000.0 to 4,999.9 acres.....	9	31 282	(X)	8	26 872	7	26 611	(X)	5	18 079
5,000.0 acres or more.....	5	31 744	(X)	4	26 086	6	48 984	(X)	6	48 984
Snap beans.....	283	30 275	(X)	192	27 908	293	23 899	(X)	205	22 736
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	59	20	(X)	36	13	62	17	(X)	40	11
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	75	160	(X)	38	88	90	203	(X)	51	132
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	33	260	(X)	21	175	51	429	(X)	34	275
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	15	285	(X)	9	171	12	213	(X)	10	178
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	14	491	(X)	9	289	18	612	(X)	15	486
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	18	1 234	(X)	13	872	11	690	(X)	10	620
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	30	4 766	(X)	28	4 191	19	3 032	(X)	15	2 332
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	21	7 149	(X)	21	7 149	13	4 194	(X)	13	4 194
500.0 acres or more.....	18	15 910	(X)	17	14 960	17	14 509	(X)	17	14 509
Cucumbers and pickles.....	152	16 651	(X)	122	16 037	204	17 656	(X)	161	16 995
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	29	10	(X)	19	7	38	10	(X)	29	7
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	35	63	(X)	24	46	35	72	(X)	20	42
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	18	150	(X)	17	145	34	258	(X)	25	197
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	7	140	(X)	6	116	19	354	(X)	16	285
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	15	543	(X)	12	438	13	443	(X)	9	336
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	12	790	(X)	10	670	29	1 902	(X)	26	1 722
100.0 acres or more.....	36	14 956	(X)	34	14 616	36	14 617	(X)	36	14 407
Lettuce and romaine.....	36	3 092	(X)	31	2 990	51	6 680	(X)	45	6 202
Sweet peppers.....	128	19 711	(X)	106	19 204	199	19 554	(X)	169	18 333
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	29	9	(X)	22	6	27	10	(X)	22	7
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	21	48	(X)	16	39	32	81	(X)	24	61
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	15	131	(X)	12	99	44	323	(X)	36	268
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	12	225	(X)	10	182	9	165	(X)	9	165
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	7	194	(X)	6	169	32	1 050	(X)	27	872
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	10	601	(X)	7	421	13	803	(X)	12	748
100.0 acres or more.....	34	18 503	(X)	33	18 288	42	17 124	(X)	39	16 214
Squash.....	293	10 932	(X)	221	10 335	377	13 292	(X)	260	11 608
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	41	13	(X)	26	8	59	20	(X)	31	11
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	85	203	(X)	55	140	97	229	(X)	63	150
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	77	633	(X)	58	464	99	789	(X)	63	489
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	24	442	(X)	22	404	33	616	(X)	29	540
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	18	601	(X)	16	536	35	1 220	(X)	28	949
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	25	1 687	(X)	21	1 428	23	1 484	(X)	17	1 084
100.0 acres or more.....	23	7 356	(X)	23	7 356	31	8 935	(X)	29	8 385
Sweet corn.....	319	43 595	(X)	169	31 165	399	50 907	(X)	179	33 638
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	67	(D)	(X)	39	(D)	64	(D)	(X)	36	(D)
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	129	243	(X)	49	97	184	416	(X)	55	141
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	49	339	(X)	21	146	75	571	(X)	32	234
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	15	270	(X)	11	170	13	219	(X)	10	161
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	9	329	(X)	6	241	10	344	(X)	8	281
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	2	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	9	1 421	(X)	7	1 161	10	1 478	(X)	7	1 048
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	14	4 504	(X)	14	4 504	16	6 074	(X)	11	4 176
500.0 acres or more.....	25	36 316	(X)	21	24 828	25	41 673	(X)	18	27 475
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	11	(D)	(X)	10	(D)	7	4 451	(X)	6	3 751
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	2	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	6	5 019	(X)	3	2 363
1,000.0 acres or more.....	12	27 927	(X)	10	17 859	12	32 204	(X)	9	21 362
Tomatoes.....	192	39 900	(X)	174	39 384	311	63 423	(X)	267	62 375
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	43	15	(X)	34	11	55	18	(X)	36	12
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	26	50	(X)	22	44	48	93	(X)	36	80
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	14	120	(X)	11	96	40	289	(X)	35	257
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	10	200	(X)	10	200	16	276	(X)	14	246
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	16	525	(X)	15	493	18	636	(X)	17	596
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	16	1 178	(X)	16	1 178	24	1 649	(X)	23	1 550
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	21	3 060	(X)	21	3 060	47	6 941	(X)	45	6 671
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	24	8 773	(X)	23	8 323	26	8 299	(X)	24	7 741
500.0 acres or more.....	22	25 980	(X)	22	25 980	37	45 223	(X)	37	45 223
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	9	4 973	(X)	9	4 973	12	6 973	(X)	12	6 973
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	4	3 506	(X)	4	(D)	7	5 835	(X)	7	5 835
1,000.0 acres or more.....	9	17 501	(X)	9	(D)	18	32 415	(X)	18	32 415

**Table 42. Specified Crops by Acres Harvested: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	1997					1992				
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land	
				Farms	Acres				Farms	Acres
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—Con.										
Watermelons .....	526	30 328	(X)	327	23 013	748	38 770	(X)	402	28 362
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	41	(D)	(X)	20	(D)	45	14	(X)	22	6
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	94	213	(X)	46	102	83	188	(X)	30	65
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	70	589	(X)	32	256	115	948	(X)	37	279
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	54	1 005	(X)	29	531	106	2 002	(X)	35	653
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	91	3 158	(X)	60	2 062	170	6 081	(X)	94	3 191
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	66	4 432	(X)	55	3 670	128	8 224	(X)	95	5 862
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	85	12 575	(X)	63	9 228	76	11 500	(X)	68	10 184
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	23	7 187	(X)	20	6 002	19	5 978	(X)	15	4 558
500.0 acres or more .....	2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	6	3 834	(X)	6	3 564
Berries harvested for sale .....	553	7 282	(X)	464	(D)	530	6 164	(X)	461	(D)
Strawberries (pounds) .....	224	6 056	128 344 789	216	5 941	215	4 175	80 835 063	202	4 119
Land in orchards .....	9 379	981 910	(X)	6 650	895 071	10 258	914 642	(X)	7 040	810 623
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....	203	103	(X)	126	65	204	96	(X)	117	52
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....	2 097	5 320	(X)	1 204	3 008	2 566	6 443	(X)	1 466	3 647
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....	2 557	21 229	(X)	1 579	13 083	2 963	24 793	(X)	1 771	14 731
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....	1 213	22 826	(X)	895	16 324	1 259	23 620	(X)	890	16 285
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....	1 293	44 570	(X)	1 019	34 235	1 334	45 744	(X)	1 041	34 458
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....	874	59 372	(X)	763	50 502	867	58 452	(X)	751	48 850
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	574	87 965	(X)	515	77 297	544	83 878	(X)	502	75 562
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....	237	80 034	(X)	226	73 627	224	75 769	(X)	211	68 433
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....	87	51 903	(X)	86	50 222	69	41 403	(X)	68	39 607
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....	60	51 837	(X)	56	47 372	44	37 623	(X)	43	34 797
1,000.0 acres or more .....	184	556 751	(X)	181	529 336	184	516 821	(X)	180	474 201
1,000.0 to 1,999.9 acres .....	95	128 610	(X)	94	123 016	91	121 599	(X)	90	113 823
2,000.0 to 2,999.9 acres .....	31	76 176	(X)	30	71 863	44	105 481	(X)	43	95 682
3,000.0 acres or more .....	58	351 965	(X)	57	334 457	49	289 740	(X)	47	264 696

**Table 43. Specified Fruits and Nuts by Acres: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Total			Trees or vines of nonbearing age		Trees or vines of bearing age		Harvested		
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds	
Avocados .....	1997..	518	6 620	647 581	240	56 193	491	591 388	367	47 178 620
	1992..	604	6 126	511 921	90	44 309	582	467 612	328	16 425 436
1997 acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		74	26	2 033	26	(D)	66	(D)	34	(D)
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....		219	554	43 510	120	(D)	208	(D)	169	1 910 441
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....		135	1 027	90 064	54	10 722	128	79 342	91	4 111 070
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....		42	739	57 212	21	9 722	41	47 490	27	2 736 766
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....		29	(D)	(D)	8	3 934	29	(D)	28	(D)
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....		5	407	46 821	1	(D)	5	(D)	5	4 251 525
100.0 acres or more .....		14	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	14	(D)	13	(D)
1992 acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		77	33	2 442	18	179	72	2 263	25	48 830
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....		282	757	58 546	40	4 323	274	54 223	147	1 270 488
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....		163	1 218	103 901	28	11 216	155	92 685	94	2 474 955
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....		43	843	62 842	1	(D)	43	(D)	33	2 633 135
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....		17	587	49 384	—	—	17	49 384	11	1 374 489
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....		12	785	64 442	1	(D)	12	(D)	9	2 376 315
100.0 acres or more .....		10	1 904	170 364	2	(D)	9	(D)	9	6 247 224
All citrus fruit .....	1997..	7 676	959 364	107 256 107	3 364	8 179 237	7 487	99 076 870	(X)	(X)
	1992..	8 205	887 904	92 232 730	4 894	25 314 774	7 580	66 917 956	(X)	(X)
1997 acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		221	101	7 546	97	1 453	195	6 093	(X)	(X)
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....		1 322	3 417	296 808	526	40 123	1 257	256 685	(X)	(X)
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....		1 973	16 798	1 605 219	836	172 696	1 913	1 432 523	(X)	(X)
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....		1 040	19 689	1 894 389	430	161 422	1 022	1 732 967	(X)	(X)
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....		1 168	40 371	3 989 700	504	306 033	1 154	3 683 667	(X)	(X)
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....		838	56 888	5 731 565	379	408 283	835	5 323 282	(X)	(X)
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		555	85 438	9 041 247	277	569 095	552	8 472 152	(X)	(X)
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....		232	78 485	8 692 978	121	511 914	232	8 181 064	(X)	(X)
500.0 acres or more .....		327	658 177	75 996 655	194	6 008 218	327	69 988 437	(X)	(X)
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....		83	49 587	5 445 477	40	238 508	83	5 206 969	(X)	(X)
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....		60	51 837	5 894 995	35	387 851	60	5 507 144	(X)	(X)
1,000.0 acres or more .....		184	556 754	64 656 183	119	5 381 859	184	59 274 324	(X)	(X)
1992 acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		245	109	9 820	122	3 082	203	6 738	(X)	(X)
1.0 to 4.9 acres .....		1 595	4 076	343 816	858	94 720	1 426	249 096	(X)	(X)
5.0 to 14.9 acres .....		2 210	18 983	1 726 394	1 290	482 632	1 990	1 243 762	(X)	(X)
15.0 to 24.9 acres .....		1 095	20 638	1 896 355	637	487 990	1 028	1 408 365	(X)	(X)
25.0 to 49.9 acres .....		1 203	41 542	3 789 141	752	1 006 901	1 142	2 782 240	(X)	(X)
50.0 to 99.9 acres .....		822	55 494	5 245 326	524	1 208 134	798	4 037 192	(X)	(X)
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		522	80 421	7 713 160	349	1 878 776	500	5 834 384	(X)	(X)
250.0 to 499.9 acres .....		220	74 253	7 572 699	143	1 724 970	210	5 847 729	(X)	(X)
500.0 acres or more .....		293	592 388	63 936 019	219	18 427 560	283	45 508 450	(X)	(X)
500.0 to 749.9 acres .....		67	40 138	4 145 573	47	1 119 572	62	3 026 001	(X)	(X)
750.0 to 999.9 acres .....		44	37 773	3 932 386	30	716 282	44	3 216 104	(X)	(X)
1,000.0 acres or more .....		182	514 478	55 858 060	142	16 591 715	177	39 266 345	(X)	(X)

**Table 43. Specified Fruits and Nuts by Acres: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Total			Trees or vines of nonbearing age		Trees or vines of bearing age		Harvested	
	Farms	Acres	Trees or vines	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds
<b>All citrus fruit—Con.</b>									
Grapefruit.....1997..	2 549	152 828	14 879 986	1 659	818 963	2 458	14 061 023	1 802	4 892 929 050
1992..	2 880	156 238	13 746 046	1 209	3 526 020	2 633	10 220 026	2 048	3 290 951 893
1997 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	513	149	10 006	144	1 717	462	8 289	230	1 054 683
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	554	1 196	91 025	132	6 501	533	84 524	357	18 967 546
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	558	4 682	411 379	134	23 582	547	387 797	397	90 490 762
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	251	4 606	411 860	53	25 142	244	386 718	207	101 251 657
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	260	9 033	837 842	62	21 620	260	816 222	221	199 482 208
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	164	11 115	1 092 074	48	60 544	163	1 031 530	150	302 508 415
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	129	19 523	1 895 008	49	74 167	129	1 820 841	122	573 282 180
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	52	17 692	1 636 707	13	51 918	52	1 584 789	50	532 527 094
500.0 acres or more.....	68	84 833	8 494 085	24	553 772	68	7 940 313	68	3 073 364 505
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	30	17 588	1 691 507	11	54 643	30	1 636 864	30	582 476 690
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	13	11 014	1 142 075	2	(D)	13	(D)	13	365 864 565
1,000.0 acres or more.....	25	56 231	5 660 503	11	(D)	25	(D)	25	2 125 023 250
1992 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	580	164	10 351	194	2 366	502	7 985	276	1 887 351
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	680	1 462	107 092	244	23 639	617	83 453	430	19 895 788
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	696	5 691	451 553	277	101 781	648	349 772	551	92 697 587
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	265	4 961	436 746	124	103 902	245	332 844	213	84 451 088
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	237	8 422	721 473	103	153 146	220	568 327	189	165 043 952
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	145	9 780	858 530	81	208 631	137	649 899	128	193 559 670
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	139	21 269	1 869 382	84	413 708	134	1 455 674	133	528 657 833
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	72	24 500	2 279 743	51	682 988	66	1 596 755	64	512 689 512
500.0 acres or more.....	66	79 990	7 011 176	51	1 835 859	64	5 175 317	64	1 692 069 112
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	25	15 075	1 401 731	22	502 497	23	899 234	23	265 265 032
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	13	10 892	1 000 765	8	120 099	13	880 666	13	291 421 715
1,000.0 acres or more.....	28	54 023	4 608 680	21	1 213 263	28	3 395 417	28	1 135 382 365
Oranges.....1997..	6 893	754 729	85 809 014	2 887	6 740 724	6 732	79 068 290	5 831	20 314 138 671
1992..	7 298	691 988	74 036 096	4 313	20 444 074	6 743	53 592 022	5 641	12 273 120 709
1997 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	259	112	9 227	92	1 681	231	7 546	134	956 027
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	1 248	3 259	285 925	452	35 071	1 187	250 854	866	41 642 496
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	1 800	15 425	1 481 276	756	152 137	1 757	1 329 139	1 503	267 033 552
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	930	17 592	1 703 430	375	141 244	918	1 562 186	813	362 523 807
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	1 026	35 538	3 561 054	444	291 971	1 013	3 269 083	938	769 770 127
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	724	49 067	5 007 189	335	360 777	722	4 646 412	685	1 132 567 604
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	461	69 557	7 376 687	205	430 530	459	6 946 157	449	1 719 762 644
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	181	61 713	6 968 080	85	378 269	181	6 589 811	180	1 617 725 871
500.0 acres or more.....	264	502 466	59 416 146	143	4 949 044	264	54 467 102	263	14 402 156 543
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	77	46 335	5 279 844	37	347 513	77	4 932 331	76	1 384 282 727
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	45	38 305	4 559 862	25	296 730	45	4 263 132	45	1 136 733 909
1,000.0 acres or more.....	142	417 826	49 576 440	81	4 304 801	142	45 271 639	142	11 881 139 907
1992 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	307	130	10 489	157	3 470	250	7 019	126	641 565
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	1 418	3 565	294 722	767	86 774	1 270	207 948	896	30 315 931
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	1 993	17 209	1 561 708	1 164	429 526	1 812	1 132 182	1 493	207 763 533
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	978	18 477	1 708 658	572	445 435	919	1 263 223	789	247 501 954
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	1 065	36 419	3 309 833	665	846 264	1 006	2 463 569	914	562 408 649
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	708	47 639	4 572 228	445	1 050 722	686	3 521 506	641	837 799 469
100.0 to 249.9 acres.....	438	67 386	6 604 312	274	1 518 885	423	5 085 427	407	1 286 293 317
250.0 to 499.9 acres.....	149	51 201	5 506 111	88	1 166 185	144	4 339 926	142	927 637 555
500.0 acres or more.....	242	449 964	50 468 035	181	14 896 813	233	35 571 222	233	8 172 758 736
500.0 to 749.9 acres.....	59	35 954	3 834 467	42	1 025 712	55	2 808 755	55	647 763 056
750.0 to 999.9 acres.....	40	34 217	3 687 972	28	785 463	40	2 902 509	40	595 012 250
1,000.0 acres or more.....	143	379 793	42 945 596	111	13 085 638	138	29 859 958	138	6 929 983 430
Pecans (in shell).....1997..	733	9 537	149 715	342	38 550	610	111 165	286	1 282 345
1992..	960	12 238	199 336	416	52 387	789	146 949	354	1 164 493
1997 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	41	13	342	25	174	25	168	8	540
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	237	600	9 147	117	3 357	193	5 790	93	48 873
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	271	2 149	32 289	121	8 582	229	23 707	95	111 153
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	94	1 739	23 461	41	5 736	81	17 725	40	101 593
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	60	2 006	31 255	30	9 161	52	22 094	33	150 486
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	14	893	13 191	3	1 340	14	11 851	8	132 400
100.0 acres or more.....	16	2 138	40 030	5	10 200	16	29 830	9	737 300
1992 acres harvested:									
0.1 to 0.9 acres.....	62	22	644	33	308	42	336	11	2 229
1.0 to 4.9 acres.....	333	834	12 224	126	4 050	281	8 174	125	60 604
5.0 to 14.9 acres.....	362	2 873	38 453	161	12 686	293	25 767	126	187 237
15.0 to 24.9 acres.....	99	1 794	26 088	48	9 384	78	16 704	38	152 033
25.0 to 49.9 acres.....	65	2 027	28 515	31	7 304	59	21 211	32	130 901
50.0 to 99.9 acres.....	25	1 616	23 627	8	5 545	22	18 082	14	200 556
100.0 acres or more.....	14	3 072	69 785	9	13 110	14	56 675	8	430 933

**Table 44. Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale by Value of Sales: 1997 and 1992**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Under glass or other protection		In the open		Sales	
	Farms	Square feet	Farms	Acres	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
Nursery and greenhouse crops, cut Christmas trees harvested, mushrooms, and sod grown for sale (see text) .....						
1997..	2 151	223 439 101	3 999	121 352	5 121	1 449 951
1992..	2 462	180 123 683	4 001	100 248	5 180	1 024 315
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	196	656 872	383	1 007	535	719
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	315	1 186 040	757	1 839	937	5 449
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	449	4 906 295	1 001	4 999	1 239	26 358
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	343	14 767 884	625	9 030	816	51 564
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	249	13 931 576	426	10 325	530	71 264
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	259	27 049 161	368	15 610	496	150 890
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	158	32 942 387	199	12 313	259	177 516
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	182	127 998 886	240	66 230	309	966 191
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 sales .....	106	50 953 701	148	26 880	190	273 231
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 sales .....	48	37 363 817	59	19 162	77	256 329
\$5,000,000 sales or more .....	28	39 681 368	33	20 188	42	436 631
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	267	553 085	360	520	546	695
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	442	1 825 946	843	2 259	1 085	6 009
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	589	7 781 529	1 070	4 811	1 337	28 520
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	390	12 101 201	651	6 489	824	52 627
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	263	14 738 987	378	8 328	499	68 771
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	253	21 805 084	365	16 350	463	139 911
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	130	31 001 604	177	14 081	227	155 211
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	128	90 316 247	157	47 411	199	572 572
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 sales .....	80	31 722 273	110	16 209	131	197 094
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 sales .....	30	29 635 592	32	10 524	45	145 791
\$5,000,000 sales or more .....	18	28 958 382	15	20 678	23	229 687
Floriculture crops—bedding/garden plants, cut flowers and cut florist greens, foliage and potted flowering plants, total .....	1 548	199 473 460	1 663	19 663	2 657	843 212
1992..	1 686	155 208 356	1 684	17 555	2 741	571 346
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	170	528 809	181	162	323	403
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	215	947 883	378	517	511	2 877
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	287	4 009 290	367	1 079	547	11 219
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	255	14 062 323	212	1 507	397	25 448
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	174	11 914 024	176	1 880	279	37 555
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	189	24 510 189	145	2 659	272	82 418
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	112	28 999 615	90	2 092	147	102 293
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	146	114 501 327	114	9 769	181	580 999
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	238	442 566	254	161	439	499
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	305	1 465 191	388	647	592	3 069
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	344	6 291 220	374	1 558	588	12 127
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	242	9 882 993	214	1 430	361	23 256
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	195	13 566 935	144	1 431	267	36 685
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	175	18 654 756	152	2 620	247	73 097
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	96	27 884 811	83	2 626	133	91 758
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	91	77 019 884	75	7 083	114	330 854
Bedding/garden plants .....	285	14 761 581	319	987	502	154 885
1992..	289	14 278 909	203	699	387	92 136
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	48	129 783	66	26	108	128
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	58	154 854	102	100	137	703
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	62	550 369	66	102	100	1 985
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	42	704 204	24	96	53	3 353
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	19	1 260 902	24	148	32	4 336
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	19	1 544 416	11	139	26	8 382
\$500,000 sales or more .....	37	10 417 053	26	377	46	136 000
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	54	37 877	50	16	92	97
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	80	266 410	48	49	104	538
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	67	605 588	38	76	80	1 575
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	27	392 282	18	77	36	2 153
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	16	627 867	15	185	22	2 990
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	21	1 591 620	16	168	25	7 815
\$500,000 sales or more .....	24	10 757 265	18	128	28	76 967
Cut flowers and cut florist greens .....	111	48 615 309	427	13 183	481	175 341
1992..	177	23 539 562	463	11 126	548	102 634
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	13	146 322	26	51	36	45
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	15	62 030	68	115	76	484
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	19	587 122	88	356	102	2 159
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	15	5 918 408	77	828	85	5 264
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	18	2 702 938	58	1 003	61	8 017
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	10	3 758 711	56	1 651	59	17 206
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	8	4 505 630	20	1 076	24	16 655
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	13	30 934 148	34	8 103	38	125 511
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	20	63 360	27	23	46	63
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	38	260 112	89	159	113	663
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	43	2 289 327	130	446	144	2 851
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	29	2 851 490	80	713	92	6 088
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	17	1 991 825	44	599	52	6 857
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	14	1 612 753	47	1 363	51	15 325
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	8	6 184 177	26	1 733	29	19 590
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	8	8 286 518	20	6 091	21	51 197
Foliage plants .....	962	114 046 897	802	4 710	1 454	386 735
1992..	1 073	100 210 335	917	5 262	1 631	297 391
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	98	226 340	103	78	182	205
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	119	672 272	172	255	259	1 386
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	153	2 746 752	185	546	289	5 869
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	165	7 355 915	89	515	208	13 581
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	119	7 244 372	89	692	165	22 382
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	143	18 645 383	61	826	163	49 542
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	82	21 298 362	51	904	97	66 317
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	83	55 857 501	52	894	91	227 453

**Table 44. Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, Mushrooms, and Sod Grown for Sale by Value of Sales: 1997 and 1992—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Under glass or other protection		In the open		Sales	
	Farms	Square feet	Farms	Acres	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Nursery and greenhouse crops, cut Christmas trees harvested, mushrooms, and sod grown for sale (see text)—Con.</b>						
<b>Floriculture crops—bedding/garden plants, cut flowers and cut florist greens, foliage and potted flowering plants, total—Con.</b>						
Foliage plants—Con.						
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	172	345 577	176	112	307	323
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	154	843 116	218	366	325	1 537
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	203	3 082 251	191	969	336	6 984
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	144	5 870 430	94	561	186	11 973
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	145	10 374 106	80	705	173	23 830
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	133	14 524 869	81	929	162	47 564
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	68	18 881 117	41	783	79	53 253
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	54	46 288 869	36	836	63	151 927
Potted flowering plants .....	1997..	382	22 049 673	256	783	559
	1992..	362	17 179 550	236	468	524
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	77	74 434	59	31	127	156
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	72	222 305	69	67	120	675
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	76	656 206	49	81	108	2 207
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	60	1 090 954	30	107	81	5 226
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	31	1 254 972	19	114	43	5 737
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	23	1 171 496	12	93	32	10 659
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	12	2 182 815	4	32	13	9 644
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	31	15 396 491	14	258	35	91 945
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	85	68 966	86	35	162	166
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	89	283 305	63	95	134	685
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	64	552 346	26	63	79	1 485
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	47	815 771	25	108	61	3 553
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	30	1 372 003	11	30	34	4 767
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	22	2 105 093	10	30	25	7 669
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	9	1 488 280	5	58	11	8 504
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	16	10 493 786	10	50	18	52 366
Bulbs, corms, rhizomes, and tubers (dry) .....	1997..	9	(D)	68	1 529	71
	1992..	15	(D)	68	1 556	76
Cut Christmas trees harvested .....	1997..	(X)	(X)	115	599	115
Nursery crops .....	1997..	534	14 340 665	2 098	30 161	2 261
	1992..	726	15 471 322	2 318	28 552	2 519
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	60	183 871	200	195	241	312
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	94	262 381	403	596	449	2 684
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	129	999 290	572	2 219	616	13 264
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	74	785 696	360	2 774	373	23 109
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	52	1 246 459	218	4 993	225	29 763
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	57	1 662 905	180	5 012	184	55 567
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	40	3 436 631	89	3 728	92	62 237
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	28	5 763 432	76	10 645	81	198 512
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	81	87 321	193	194	241	304
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	158	483 337	503	773	564	3 313
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	188	1 252 080	695	2 464	736	15 979
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	114	2 064 794	405	2 707	432	26 882
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	69	1 531 578	213	3 463	223	30 409
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	67	3 130 202	182	6 523	190	58 599
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	25	2 589 153	72	4 398	76	49 692
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	24	4 332 857	55	8 032	57	123 913
Sod harvested .....	1997..	(X)	(X)	166	65 185	166
	1992..	(X)	(X)	154	52 030	154
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	(X)	(X)	11	135	11	13
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	14	420	14	82
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	21	1 170	21	490
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	29	3 988	29	1 797
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	11	2 955	11	1 511
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	28	7 334	28	9 019
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	14	6 005	14	10 237
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	(X)	(X)	38	43 179	38	104 654
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	(X)	(X)	8	195	8	9
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	21	822	21	109
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	28	860	28	631
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	23	2 069	23	1 681
\$100,000 to \$199,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	23	3 595	23	3 346
\$200,000 to \$499,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	22	7 252	22	7 504
\$500,000 to \$999,999 sales .....	(X)	(X)	14	7 035	14	9 967
\$1,000,000 sales or more .....	(X)	(X)	15	30 203	15	40 968
Greenhouse vegetables .....	1997..	78	3 861 344	(X)	(X)	78
	1992..	107	3 630 669	(X)	(X)	107
1997 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	13	15 296	(X)	(X)	13	17
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	13	33 820	(X)	(X)	13	65
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	27	192 108	(X)	(X)	27	497
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	7	159 616	(X)	(X)	7	471
\$100,000 sales or more .....	18	3 460 504	(X)	(X)	18	14 632
1992 value of sales:						
\$1 to \$2,499 sales .....	10	64 772	(X)	(X)	10	11
\$2,500 to \$9,999 sales .....	27	128 367	(X)	(X)	27	133
\$10,000 to \$39,999 sales .....	48	400 866	(X)	(X)	48	956
\$40,000 to \$99,999 sales .....	15	195 584	(X)	(X)	15	717
\$100,000 sales or more .....	7	2 841 080	(X)	(X)	7	11 450

**Table 45. Farms by Concentration of Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Characteristics	All farms	Fewest number of farms accounting for—			
		10 percent of sales	25 percent of sales	50 percent of sales	75 percent of sales
Farms .....	34 799 100.0	12 (Z)	58 1 023 868	313 2 047 802	1 280 3.7
Land in farms .....	10 454 217 300	370 728 30 894	17 653	6 542	3 792 973 2 963
Average size of farm .....					
Estimated market value of land and buildings <sup>1</sup> .....	34 787 \$1,000.. Average per farm .....	12 1 496 465 662 538 2 241	58 3 590 805 61 910 437 4 037	313 5 933 979 18 958 399 3 507	1 280 9 436 499 7 372 265 2 488
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment <sup>1</sup> .....	\$1,000.. percent..	1 421 654 100.0	11 798 .8	96 596 6.8	246 107 17.3
Land in farms according to use:					
Total cropland .....	acres.. Harvested cropland .....	3 639 850 2 435 702	300 917 260 643	665 272 587 057	1 131 256 1 009 620
Pastureland, excluding woodland pastured .....	acres..	4 965 611	17 820	203 085	660 587
Market value of agricultural products sold .....	\$1,000.. Average per farm .....	6 004 554 172 550	623 032 51 919 307	1 507 658 25 994 100	3 002 914 9 593 973
Grains .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 187 27 613	1 (D)	5 3 504	13 4 607
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms.. \$1,000..	342 42 478	— —	1 (D)	2 (D)
Tobacco .....	farms.. \$1,000..	186 25 595	— —	— —	— —
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms.. \$1,000..	2 233 27 263	— —	1 (D)	6 (D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 497 1 083 921	5 229 044	21 478 100	87 792 006
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms.. \$1,000..	7 584 1 493 470	5 (D)	26 294 897	115 736 470
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms.. \$1,000..	5 121 1 449 951	4 72 997	14 205 659	83 571 812
Other crops .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 084 666 971	6 272 152	15 392 399	46 494 063
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms.. \$1,000..	942 348 000	— —	3 57 457	14 138 066
Dairy products .....	farms.. \$1,000..	308 382 431	— —	3 64 651	25 186 012
Cattle and calves .....	farms.. \$1,000..	14 600 301 660	2 (D)	13 10 596	67 50 609
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. \$1,000..	971 7 997	— —	— —	— —
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. \$1,000..	209 288	— —	— —	— —
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. \$1,000..	3 287 146 917	1 (D)	3 (D)	11 28 229
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	farms.. \$1,000..	34 785 4 384 423	12 347 564	58 1 028 944	313 2 101 490
Selected farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> :					
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. \$1,000..	6 697 145 770	1 (D)	11 13 620	68 53 848
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. \$1,000..	14 829 446 861	2 (D)	14 75 098	75 179 973
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. \$1,000..	23 235 347 559	12 48 382	55 104 501	287 174 641
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. \$1,000..	17 841 350 556	12 29 801	55 99 561	283 186 997
Petroleum products .....	farms.. \$1,000..	29 619 131 636	12 10 306	58 26 021	310 51 001
Electricity .....	farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	12 3 089	56 10 179	303 20 910
Hired farm labor .....	farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	12 91 371	55 233 363	300 467 837
Interest .....	farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	12 20 115	54 55 301	281 109 604
Payments from government programs .....	farms.. \$1,000..	2 921 11 074	1 (D)	7 (D)	22 695
Inventory of selected livestock:					
Cattle and calves .....	farms.. number..	15 849 1 808 900	2 (D)	13 89 377	66 268 541
Milk cows .....	farms.. number..	666 159 614	— —	3 25 649	25 72 223
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. number..	1 431 50 309	— —	— —	— —

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	number..	34 799	26 962	5 492	2 345	14 742	10 369	3 008
percent..	100.0	100.0	77.5	15.8	6.7	42.4	29.8	8.6
Land in farms .....	acres..	10 454 217	6 174 123	3 321 299	958 795	8 781 518	5 117 837	2 936 121
Average size of farm .....	acres..	300	229	605	409	596	494	976
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	34 799	26 962	5 492	2 345	14 742	10 369	3 008
\$1,000..	6 004 554	3 675 178	1 745 516	583 860	5 950 655	3 633 255	1 736 906	580 494
Average per farm .....	dollars..	172 550	136 310	317 829	248 981	403 653	350 396	577 429
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		6 759	6 048	495	216	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		4 771	3 943	598	230	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		4 405	3 445	701	259	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		4 122	3 157	690	275	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		3 560	2 613	659	288	3 560	2 613	659
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 012	734	199	79	1 012	734	199
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 958	1 435	338	185	1 958	1 435	338
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		847	616	146	85	847	616	146
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		2 188	1 591	385	212	2 188	1 591	385
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		2 188	1 493	501	194	2 188	1 493	501
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		1 061	675	279	107	1 061	675	279
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		837	526	225	86	837	526	225
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		657	425	158	74	657	425	158
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		232	137	61	34	232	137	61
\$5,000,000 or more .....		202	124	57	21	202	124	57
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	570	533	84	818	320	437
\$1,000..	27 613	9 195	17 096	1 322	26 690	8 612	16 820	1 258
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	133	40	87	6	133	40	87
\$1,000..	17 307	4 657	12 013	638	17 307	4 657	12 013	638
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	433	395	60	587	231	317
\$1,000..	12 985	4 827	7 448	709	12 274	4 377	7 241	656
Wheat .....	farms..	185	62	104	19	166	52	99
\$1,000..	1 991	462	1 390	139	1 966	449	1 382	135
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	138	232	31	348	108	211
\$1,000..	6 798	2 070	4 370	359	6 660	1 983	(D)	29
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	5	5	1	11	5	1
\$1,000..	116	50	(D)	(D)	116	50	(D)	(D)
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	57	21	34	2	44	15	27
\$1,000..	369	183	(D)	(D)	338	165	(D)	(D)
Other grains .....	farms..	84	40	38	6	72	30	36
\$1,000..	5 354	1 604	(D)	(D)	5 335	1 588	(D)	6
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	130	173	39	329	119	172
\$1,000..	42 478	13 363	27 003	2 112	(D)	13 315	(D)	38
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	200	57	124	19	200	57	124
\$1,000..	39 438	11 942	25 673	1 824	39 438	11 942	25 673	1 824
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	85	87	14	168	73	83
\$1,000..	25 595	9 020	15 045	1 530	25 510	(D)	15 024	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	126	49	68	9	126	49	68
\$1,000..	24 528	8 402	14 642	1 485	24 528	8 402	14 642	1 485
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	1 396	706	131	1 190	585	515
\$1,000..	27 263	11 548	12 770	2 945	(D)	9 352	12 317	90
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	104	29	63	12	104	29	63
\$1,000..	13 518	4 525	7 254	1 739	13 518	4 525	7 254	1 739
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 497	733	504	260	1 214	515	460
\$1,000..	1 083 921	268 183	566 896	248 842	1 082 725	267 309	566 677	248 740
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	633	186	286	161	633	186	286
\$1,000..	1 070 203	260 453	562 777	246 973	1 070 203	260 453	562 777	246 973
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	6 837	597	150	4 665	4 068	481
\$1,000..	1 493 470	1 302 234	154 875	36 361	1 484 292	1 293 524	154 528	36 240
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 117	1 824	241	52	2 117	1 824	241
\$1,000..	1 429 633	1 244 446	150 240	34 948	1 429 633	1 244 446	150 240	34 948
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	4 056	489	576	3 742	2 839	442
\$1,000..	1 449 951	958 724	310 697	180 529	1 444 249	953 752	310 475	461
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 182	1 560	331	291	2 182	1 560	331
\$1,000..	1 407 414	923 330	308 183	175 901	1 407 414	923 330	308 183	175 901
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	489	489	106	959	413	450
\$1,000..	666 971	329 071	308 414	29 486	666 621	328 856	308 316	96
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	449	168	239	42	449	168	239
\$1,000..	657 657	324 705	304 482	28 470	657 657	324 705	304 482	42
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	752	154	36	506	396	93
\$1,000..	348 000	250 978	68 611	28 411	347 660	250 685	68 585	17
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	385	312	62	11	385	312	62
\$1,000..	346 702	249 985	68 398	28 319	346 702	249 985	68 398	22
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	184	94	30	305	182	93
\$1,000..	382 431	221 287	143 482	17 662	382 431	(D)	(D)	30
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	250	154	74	22	250	154	74
\$1,000..	381 084	220 582	143 002	17 499	381 084	220 582	143 002	22
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	9 983	3 683	934	5 088	2 905	1 791
\$1,000..	301 660	183 345	96 254	22 061	274 380	164 085	90 066	392
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	961	542	341	78	961	542	341
\$1,000..	215 179	132 824	68 146	14 210	215 179	132 824	68 146	78

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	971	641	268	62	335	174	139
\$1,000..		7 997	4 491	3 051	455	6 784	3 593	2 854
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	25	11	13	1	25	11	13
\$1,000..		3 922	2 017	(D)	(D)	3 922	2 017	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	209	166	38	5	58	38	18
\$1,000..		288	248	35	5	169	150	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	1	1	—
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3 287	2 485	507	295	1 397	974	261
\$1,000..		146 917	113 491	21 286	12 139	142 234	109 769	20 745
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	405	291	57	57	405	291	57
\$1,000..		126 258	98 200	18 334	9 724	126 258	98 200	18 334
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 954	1 465	376	113	720	447	195
\$1,000..		12 547	7 222	3 679	1 646	10 871	5 876	3 407
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	34 785	27 302	5 290	2 193	14 700	10 542	2 925
\$1,000..		4 384 423	2 777 917	1 211 825	394 680	4 263 968	2 680 298	1 195 225
Average per farm .....	dollars..	126 043	101 748	229 078	179 973	290 066	254 250	408 624
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	4 668	1 535	494	3 342	2 129	934
\$1,000..		145 770	95 396	38 387	11 987	139 289	90 937	37 368
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 655	3 333	1 009	313	1 533	969	440
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 298	832	338	128	1 071	661	307
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		498	345	121	32	494	342	120
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	104	37	10	150	103	37
\$250,000 or more .....		95	54	30	11	94	54	30
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	10 700	3 283	846	5 715	3 667	1 672
\$1,000..		446 861	289 961	127 431	29 469	434 789	280 848	125 254
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		12 068	8 885	2 521	662	3 144	2 004	944
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 724	1 109	498	117	1 536	958	464
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		490	324	130	36	489	323	130
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		163	109	44	10	162	109	44
\$250,000 or more .....		384	273	90	21	384	273	90
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	8 725	6 302	1 887	536	3 544	2 345	983
\$1,000..		333 773	220 692	87 471	25 610	328 008	216 326	86 609
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 060	5 115	1 518	427	1 973	1 240	623
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		856	621	176	59	764	540	167
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		341	232	85	24	340	231	85
\$100,000 or more .....		468	334	108	26	467	334	108
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	9 902	6 867	2 234	801	6 424	4 081	1 696
\$1,000..		217 919	119 258	73 699	24 962	216 668	118 440	73 449
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....		5 201	4 063	859	279	1 958	1 407	400
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 235	1 405	624	206	2 011	1 276	546
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 462	831	463	168	1 451	830	462
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		409	250	101	58	409	250	101
\$50,000 or more .....		595	318	187	90	595	318	187
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	18 193	3 736	1 306	11 957	8 623	2 445
\$1,000..		347 559	224 210	99 900	23 449	335 365	214 219	98 174
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		17 517	14 432	2 155	930	6 531	5 095	913
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 971	2 747	1 013	211	3 687	2 521	965
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		784	456	277	51	777	449	277
\$50,000 or more .....		963	558	291	114	962	558	290
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	14 007	2 659	1 175	10 675	7 744	2 030
\$1,000..		350 556	220 770	101 678	28 108	343 995	215 055	101 099
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		13 342	10 894	1 594	854	6 357	4 781	983
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2 913	2 150	600	163	2 742	2 009	583
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		647	396	199	52	638	387	199
\$50,000 or more .....		939	567	266	106	938	567	265
Petroleum products .....	farms..	29 619	22 626	4 985	2 008	13 417	9 375	2 854
\$1,000..		131 636	82 093	36 878	12 665	123 610	75 777	35 664
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		25 775	20 296	3 850	1 629	9 586	7 052	1 721
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 008	1 845	886	277	2 995	1 838	884
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		459	270	136	53	459	270	136
\$50,000 or more .....		377	215	113	49	377	215	113
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	20 205	15 061	3 635	1 509	9 607	6 449	2 251
\$1,000..		50 229	32 031	12 892	5 306	46 115	28 847	12 264
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	21 549	16 095	4 051	1 403	10 704	7 253	2 545
\$1,000..		60 717	36 289	18 574	5 854	57 668	33 852	18 102
Natural gas .....	farms..	394	318	56	20	265	195	51
\$1,000..		2 120	1 383	583	154	2 062	1 328	(D)
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	18 420	13 555	3 462	1 403	10 948	7 476	2 485
\$1,000..		18 570	12 391	4 829	1 350	17 765	11 750	(D)

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity ..... farms..	21 403	16 721	3 433	1 249	11 203	8 136	2 220	847
\$1,000..	55 022	35 623	15 498	3 901	51 252	32 387	15 118	3 747
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	12 113	2 182	787	5 680	4 223	1 042	415
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	3 420	793	292	3 721	2 739	720	262
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	983	368	144	1 481	969	368	144
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	124	49	15	188	124	49	15
\$50,000 or more .....	133	81	41	11	133	81	41	11
Hired farm labor ..... farms..	12 199	8 787	2 341	1 071	8 522	5 806	1 858	858
\$1,000..	925 607	579 796	246 531	99 280	921 203	576 247	246 117	98 838
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	4 951	1 082	470	2 924	2 039	606	279
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	1 631	497	253	2 308	1 584	490	234
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	1 341	386	153	1 856	1 320	386	150
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	439	183	97	718	438	183	97
\$250,000 or more .....	716	425	193	98	716	425	193	98
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ..... farms..	6 515	4 589	1 276	650	5 644	3 865	1 198	581
workers..	50 085	30 835	14 403	4 847	49 125	30 029	14 325	4 771
Less than 150 days ..... farms..	10 419	7 514	1 996	909	6 823	4 603	1 521	699
workers..	74 884	39 108	25 905	9 871	67 387	32 936	24 933	9 518
Contract labor ..... farms..	7 481	5 667	1 293	521	5 379	3 914	1 047	418
\$1,000..	477 373	329 739	103 270	44 364	474 723	327 515	102 975	44 233
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	1 198	291	123	543	344	130	69
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	1 906	438	186	1 529	1 028	360	141
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	1 463	229	91	1 752	1 443	222	87
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	384	97	24	504	383	97	24
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	716	238	97	1 051	716	238	97
Repair and maintenance ..... farms..	24 621	18 529	4 393	1 699	12 092	8 315	2 681	1 096
\$1,000..	195 760	120 332	57 330	18 098	180 197	107 707	55 084	17 405
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	15 279	3 022	1 189	7 464	5 455	1 381	628
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	2 512	995	370	3 389	2 136	924	329
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	361	175	67	593	352	175	66
\$50,000 or more .....	651	377	201	73	646	372	201	73
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms..	7 081	5 149	1 401	531	4 858	3 360	1 100	398
\$1,000..	99 207	73 667	20 155	5 385	97 293	72 067	19 945	5 280
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	2 238	469	232	1 300	946	233	121
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	1 819	480	173	1 899	1 333	415	151
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	749	324	82	1 145	739	324	82
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	141	51	21	212	140	51	21
\$50,000 or more .....	302	202	77	23	302	202	77	23
Interest ..... farms..	10 162	7 207	2 271	684	6 604	4 305	1 754	545
\$1,000..	237 536	168 986	59 093	9 457	226 378	159 616	57 483	9 279
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	4 125	1 193	431	2 940	1 850	797	293
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	2 225	724	170	2 371	1 599	603	169
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	598	268	65	930	597	268	65
\$100,000 or more .....	363	259	86	18	363	259	86	18
Secured by real estate ..... farms..	7 671	5 999	1 671	1	4 710	3 437	1 272	1
\$1,000..	175 286	132 197	(D)	(D)	165 028	123 394	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	833	157	—	406	308	98	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	2 468	661	—	1 482	1 041	441	—
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	1 993	594	1	1 859	1 384	474	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	282	111	—	392	281	111	—
\$50,000 or more .....	571	423	148	—	571	423	148	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms..	4 034	2 252	1 098	684	3 107	1 633	929	545
\$1,000..	62 250	36 789	(D)	(D)	61 349	36 222	(D)	(D)
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	839	323	198	751	416	215	120
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	773	406	233	1 102	584	345	173
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	418	259	171	840	411	259	170
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	118	53	39	210	118	53	39
\$50,000 or more .....	204	104	57	43	204	104	57	43
Cash rent ..... farms..	4 277	—	2 984	1 293	2 909	—	2 033	876
\$1,000..	56 025	—	40 248	15 777	54 685	—	39 487	15 198
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	—	2 209	933	1 780	—	1 260	520
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	—	246	128	370	—	244	126
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	—	276	102	377	—	276	101
\$25,000 or more .....	383	—	253	130	382	—	253	129
Property taxes ..... farms..	32 866	26 983	5 262	621	13 821	10 517	2 924	380
\$1,000..	136 457	108 861	26 007	1 589	113 974	88 684	23 852	1 438
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	24 194	4 641	559	10 768	8 137	2 312	319
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	1 485	296	36	1 515	1 190	290	35
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	816	178	13	906	717	176	13
\$25,000 or more .....	648	488	147	13	632	473	146	13
All other farm production expenses ..... farms..	29 438	22 677	4 812	1 949	14 682	10 527	2 923	1 232
\$1,000..	561 134	329 225	165 720	66 190	550 548	320 799	164 156	65 594
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	18 592	3 449	1 383	8 744	6 504	1 569	671
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	2 582	794	301	3 603	2 521	785	297
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	539	190	75	803	538	190	75
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	409	141	78	627	409	141	77
\$100,000 or more .....	905	555	238	112	905	555	238	112

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>								
All farms .....	34 787	27 303	5 291	2 193	14 702	10 543	2 926	1 233
\$1,000..	1 573 154	879 408	522 445	171 301	1 639 371	934 156	530 744	174 471
Average per farm .....	45 222	32 209	98 742	78 113	111 507	88 604	181 389	141 501
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	16 344	12 341	2 608	1 395	11 209	8 082	2 112	1 015
Average net gain .....	107 434	82 299	214 031	130 506	155 785	124 681	263 833	178 627
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....	2 351	1 957	236	158	271	186	60	25
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	6 250	4 902	782	566	3 195	2 414	462	319
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	4 267	3 145	797	325	4 267	3 145	797	325
\$50,000 or more .....	3 476	2 337	793	346	3 476	2 337	793	346
Farms with net losses .....	18 443	14 962	2 683	798	3 493	2 461	814	218
Average net loss .....	9 909	9 106	13 324	13 477	30 583	29 874	32 519	31 359
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....	3 024	2 617	286	121	244	201	31	12
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	12 083	9 834	1 733	516	1 725	1 242	371	112
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	2 970	2 260	580	130	1 209	813	330	66
\$50,000 or more .....	366	251	84	31	315	205	82	28
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>								
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	2 167	655	99	1 335	732	526
\$1,000..	11 074	6 865	3 721	488	6 932	2 997	3 504	431
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	3 566	1 012	195	2 332	1 538	694
\$1,000..	44 430	33 033	10 092	1 305	35 433	25 399	9 020	1 014
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	945	345	92	714	435	232
\$1,000..	17 039	12 114	4 068	858	14 682	10 172	3 754	756
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	1 138	217	67	544	397	118
\$1,000..	10 962	8 502	2 257	204	8 078	6 023	1 965	90
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	579	152	8	263	190	73
\$1,000..	9 654	7 936	1 646	72	6 633	5 416	1 217	—
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	1 272	441	67	1 128	699	382
\$1,000..	6 774	4 482	2 121	171	6 040	3 788	2 085	168
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>								
Total .....	farms..	118	39	69	10	98	25	64
\$1,000..	1 936	428	1 459	49	1 916	(D)	1 455	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	62	27	32	3	47	16	28
\$1,000..	138	(D)	97	(D)	133	(D)	93	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	15	—	13	2	15	—	13
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	1	8	2	10	—	8
\$1,000..	62	(D)	61	(D)	(D)	—	61	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	—	1	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Cotton .....	farms..	32	4	21	7	32	4	21
\$1,000..	808	(D)	773	13	(D)	(D)	773	13
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	11	16	1	24	9	15
\$1,000..	900	(D)	503	(D)	887	(D)	(D)	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	21 199	4 274	1 668	12 908	9 180	2 630
acres..	3 639 850	2 144 380	1 236 033	259 437	3 139 527	1 795 027	1 124 020	220 480
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	16 473	3 252	1 292	11 947	8 555	2 401
acres..	2 435 702	1 473 656	807 286	154 760	2 322 488	1 381 619	790 185	150 684
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	13 340	1 689	888	7 198	5 679	911
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	1 386	486	118	1 711	1 188	424
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	745	387	91	1 160	692	378
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	527	413	112	1 046	523	412
500 to 999 acres .....		458	244	160	54	455	242	159
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	122	59	22	203	122	59
2,000 acres or more .....		174	109	58	7	174	109	58
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	7 453	2 422	514	3 380	2 019	1 157
acres..	895 684	492 525	321 337	81 822	582 283	295 224	234 269	52 790
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	586	162	29	314	192	105
acres..	39 152	28 639	9 342	1 171	17 657	10 049	7 135	473
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	218	126	34	208	91	98
acres..	14 457	5 229	6 391	2 837	10 700	(D)	5 451	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	155	75	10	126	70	47
acres..	47 061	11 501	35 038	522	44 454	(D)	34 483	(D)
Idle .....	farms..	2 816	2 196	466	154	1 404	956	339
acres..	207 794	132 830	56 639	18 325	161 945	95 185	52 497	14 263
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	6 697	1 888	300	3 498	2 245	1 098
acres..	2 132 308	1 248 574	703 376	180 358	1 561 414	847 049	592 305	122 060
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	2 866	1 099	193	1 623	926	598
acres..	1 091 166	505 364	478 546	107 256	889 808	405 137	402 605	82 066
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	4 768	1 119	142	2 435	1 650	704
acres..	1 041 142	743 210	224 830	73 102	671 606	441 912	189 700	39 994

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	8 495 4 069 927	5 967 2 386 714	1 958 1 215 405	570 467 808	3 191 3 615 949	1 945 2 180 845	982 1 070 520	264 364 584
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	18 528 612 132	14 755 394 455	2 998 166 485	775 51 192	7 934 464 628	5 693 294 916	1 765 149 276	476 20 436
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	12 673 1 862 404	10 285 1 202 488	1 511 546 698	877 113 218	8 331 1 823 140	6 347 1 168 213	1 275 543 261	709 111 666
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	12 202 1 729 449	9 939 1 124 021	1 423 504 008	840 101 420	8 191 1 696 193	6 259 1 092 936	1 240 502 303	692 100 954
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	745 132 955	545 78 467	146 42 690	54 11 798	326 126 947	219 75 277	74 40 958	33 10 712
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	1 624 125 878	1 358 106 636	243 17 524	23 1 718	497 44 580	308 29 803	172 13 839	17 938
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 787 23 047 695	27 303 15 676 327	5 291 5 921 101	2 193 1 450 266	14 702 18 642 671	10 543 12 393 885	2 926 5 123 595	1 233 1 125 191
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	574 161	1 119 089	661 316	1 268 036	1 175 556	1 751 058	912 564
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	2 569	1 802	1 616	2 156	2 439	1 761	1 711
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999.....	3 876	3 293	108	475	778	566	6	206
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	3 559	3 053	267	239	858	676	75	107
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	3 014	2 548	279	187	794	592	75	127
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	4 566	3 853	521	192	1 300	1 038	189	73
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	3 577	2 978	462	137	1 236	995	168	73
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	9 404	7 082	1 874	448	4 485	3 311	907	267
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	3 411	2 407	792	212	2 367	1 601	624	142
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999.....	1 611	1 005	485	121	1 321	801	415	105
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999.....	1 138	688	318	132	958	580	292	86
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	396	185	50	605	383	175	47
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 786 1 421 654	27 303 957 969	5 291 346 235	2 192 117 450	14 701 1 089 536	10 543 684 589	2 926 306 527	1 232 98 420
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999.....	6 239	5 250	633	356	1 639	1 340	161	138
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	7 040	5 676	996	368	1 927	1 432	334	161
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	7 275	5 960	923	392	2 598	1 942	431	225
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	8 371	6 362	1 397	612	3 921	2 827	794	300
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	3 203	2 346	641	216	2 291	1 579	519	193
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	1 683	1 131	394	158	1 375	868	382	125
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	685	434	194	57	660	411	192	57
\$500,000 or more .....	290	144	113	33	290	144	113	33
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	27 590 54 030	21 071 39 021	4 652 10 907	1 867 4 102	12 706 34 515	8 839 23 066	2 740 8 341	1 127 3 108
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	28 305 51 110	22 022 37 331	4 605 10 046	1 678 3 733	11 918 29 043	8 347 19 112	2 623 7 270	948 2 661
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 078 20 900	12 880 16 335	2 291 3 247	907 1 318	6 464 9 882	4 690 7 008	1 213 1 961	561 913
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	16 943 30 210	12 621 20 996	3 257 6 799	1 065 2 415	8 106 19 161	5 451 12 104	2 063 5 309	592 1 748
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	15 680 25 210	11 699 18 162	3 002 5 227	979 1 821	7 572 15 392	5 130 10 239	1 920 3 906	522 1 247
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 067 5 000	1 954 2 834	847 1 572	266 594	1 932 3 769	1 046 1 865	690 1 403	196 501
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	648 773	332 382	282 350	34 41	470 586	167 208	269 337	34 41
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	249 325	78 105	158 204	13 (D)	249 (D)	78 105	158 204	13 (D)
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	5 327 6 241	3 951 4 645	1 141 1 344	235 252	2 190 2 657	1 404 1 707	655 804	131 146
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 056 2 612	1 187 1 426	746 1 045	123 141	1 142 1 536	506 624	566 824	70 88
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 087 2 939 310	18 056 1 780 529	3 734 997 477	1 297 161 304	11 887 2 720 188	8 562 1 624 005	2 443 947 144	882 149 039
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 714 1 596 677	8 174 1 091 173	1 742 411 586	798 93 918	7 616 1 559 257	5 449 1 059 528	1 501 407 071	666 92 658
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 128 285 104	1 414 124 529	498 123 324	216 37 251	1 693 279 907	1 029 119 612	470 123 223	194 37 072
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	7 246 1 033 768	5 582 702 227	1 138 268 385	526 63 156	5 463 1 015 185	3 951 685 413	1 040 266 885	472 62 887
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 491 1 494 432	8 018 891 033	1 776 512 213	697 91 186	6 903 1 445 175	4 914 858 083	1 398 498 645	591 88 447
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 041 116 751	685 45 674	289 64 605	67 6 472	755 112 837	423 41 935	278 64 509	54 6 393

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>								
All operators .....	34 799	26 962	5 492	2 345	14 742	10 369	3 008	1 365
Full owners .....	26 962	26 962	—	—	10 369	10 369	—	—
Part owners .....	5 492	—	5 492	—	3 008	—	3 008	—
Tenants .....	2 345	—	—	2 345	1 365	—	—	1 365
White .....	33 481	26 043	5 230	2 208	14 271	10 087	2 894	1 290
Full owners .....	26 043	26 043	—	—	10 087	10 087	—	—
Part owners .....	5 230	—	5 230	—	2 894	—	2 894	—
Tenants .....	2 208	—	—	2 208	1 290	—	—	1 290
Black and other races .....	1 318	919	262	137	471	282	114	75
Full owners .....	919	919	—	—	282	282	—	—
Part owners .....	262	—	262	—	114	—	114	—
Tenants .....	137	—	—	137	75	—	—	75
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>								
Land owned..... farms..	32 502	26 962	5 492	48	13 403	10 369	3 008	26
acres..	8 310 743	6 790 032	1 516 987	3 724	6 982 041	5 604 088	1 376 515	1 438
Owned land in farms .....	32 454	26 962	5 492	—	13 377	10 369	3 008	—
acres..	7 648 772	6 174 123	1 474 649	—	6 456 661	5 117 837	1 338 824	—
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	7 895	58	5 492	2 345	4 393	20	1 365
acres..	2 851 242	11 880	1 863 629	975 733	2 359 976	3 657	1 612 556	743 763
landlords..	15 172	89	11 083	4 000	9 870	35	2 558	7 277
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 837	—	5 492	2 345	4 373	—	1 365
acres..	2 805 445	—	1 846 650	958 795	2 324 857	—	1 597 297	727 560
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	2 406	2 004	299	103	1 067	796	205
acres..	707 768	627 789	59 317	20 662	560 499	489 908	52 950	17 641
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	21 333	16 764	3 896	673	7 386	5 024	1 986	376
Not on farm operated .....	10 106	7 423	1 256	1 427	5 615	3 935	831	849
Not reported .....	3 360	2 775	340	245	1 741	1 410	191	140
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	15 782	11 728	2 878	1 176	9 362	6 363	2 073	926
Other .....	19 017	15 234	2 614	1 169	5 380	4 006	935	439
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	14 054	10 965	2 192	897	7 478	5 215	1 573	690
Any .....	18 337	14 026	2 979	1 332	5 953	4 136	1 234	583
1 to 99 days .....	2 407	1 795	417	195	1 015	677	228	110
100 to 199 days .....	2 778	2 094	461	223	984	668	194	122
200 days or more .....	13 152	10 137	2 101	914	3 954	2 791	812	351
Not reported .....	2 408	1 971	321	116	1 311	1 018	201	92
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	1 924	1 366	253	305	681	414	94	173
3 or 4 years .....	2 802	2 069	375	358	926	604	142	180
5 to 9 years .....	5 431	4 156	801	474	2 153	1 465	417	271
10 years or more .....	18 327	14 284	3 295	748	8 286	5 859	1 936	491
Average years on present farm .....	17.3	17.6	18.5	10.4	18.3	18.7	20.2	11.2
Not reported .....	6 315	5 087	768	460	2 696	2 027	419	250
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	150	84	15	51	70	34	6	30
25 to 34 years .....	1 493	892	308	293	695	352	167	176
35 to 44 years .....	5 664	3 926	1 092	646	2 610	1 610	614	386
45 to 49 years .....	4 111	3 049	734	328	1 862	1 232	439	191
50 to 54 years .....	4 518	3 391	798	329	1 848	1 268	394	186
55 to 59 years .....	4 356	3 371	742	243	1 840	1 289	415	136
60 to 64 years .....	3 937	3 148	619	170	1 698	1 228	370	100
65 to 69 years .....	3 802	3 183	497	122	1 525	1 185	274	66
70 years and over .....	6 768	5 918	687	163	2 594	2 171	329	94
Average age .....	56.5	57.9	53.7	48.0	55.7	57.4	53.4	47.8
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	29 415	22 375	4 963	2 077	12 919	8 893	2 786	1 240
Female .....	5 384	4 587	529	268	1 823	1 476	222	125
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1 060	798	140	122	513	346	89	78
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	27 173	21 326	4 374	1 473	9 193	6 391	2 106	696
acres..	4 473 744	2 250 554	1 865 467	357 723	3 218 008	1 405 935	1 552 966	259 107
Partnership .....	farms..	2 716	2 061	403	252	1 680	1 255	276
acres..	1 614 276	896 360	442 763	275 153	1 474 520	807 423	412 609	254 488
Corporation:								
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	2 805	590	486	3 157	2 225	521
acres..	3 021 393	2 140 386	616 996	264 011	2 810 433	2 077 418	577 617	155 398
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	157	122	29	6	144	113	25
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	3 724	2 683	561	480	3 013	2 112	496
Other than family held .....	farms..	635	430	89	116	522	337	82
acres..	1 065 642	701 401	305 529	58 712	1 051 826	689 421	(D)	103
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	67	58	6	3	60	51	3
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	568	372	83	113	462	286	76
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	394	340	36	18	190	161	23
acres..	279 162	185 422	90 544	3 196	226 731	137 640	(D)	6 (D)

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members .....	199	122	55	22	84	40	29	15
farms..	238	150	62	26	102	53	31	18
number..								
Hired workers .....	588	333	158	97	561	315	154	92
farms..								
number..	1 531	788	547	196	1 491	761	543	187
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members .....	1	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
farms..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
number..								
Hired workers .....	6	3	3	—	3	1	2	—
farms..			(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
number..	6	(D)						
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....	7 394	6 522	229	643	2 302	1 844	100	358
10 to 49 acres .....	12 750	10 768	1 380	602	4 081	3 365	397	319
50 to 69 acres .....	2 206	1 666	418	122	869	691	129	49
70 to 99 acres .....	2 388	1 771	481	136	924	692	176	56
100 to 139 acres .....	1 984	1 411	442	131	885	618	202	65
140 to 179 acres .....	1 354	946	327	81	678	441	200	37
180 to 219 acres .....	949	628	248	73	512	324	146	42
220 to 259 acres .....	671	427	180	64	422	255	127	40
260 to 499 acres .....	2 067	1 181	702	184	1 482	772	559	151
500 to 999 acres .....	1 390	762	487	141	1 111	576	423	112
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	802	414	296	92	689	354	263	72
2,000 acres or more .....	844	466	302	76	787	437	286	64
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	1 118	908	171	39	208	86	104	18
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	1 250	613	394	243	991	412	358	221
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	8 245	7 663	440	142	4 157	3 729	334	94
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	4 902	3 905	439	558	3 598	2 745	402	451
Other crop farming (1119) .....	2 137	1 298	697	142	1 241	567	566	108
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	137	66	61	10	121	55	58	8
Cotton farming (11192) .....	202	74	102	26	192	65	101	26
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1 798	1 158	534	106	928	447	407	74
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	12 040	8 566	2 668	806	2 631	1 449	906	276
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	309	238	55	16	67	40	17	10
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	296	183	86	27	291	178	86	27
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	468	356	79	33	102	69	27	6
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	560	461	75	24	407	329	64	14
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	272	235	28	9	23	16	6	1
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	3 202	2 536	360	306	1 026	749	138	139
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>								
Cattle and calves inventory .....	farms..	15 849	11 111	3 792	946	5 153	2 975	1 792
number..		1 808 900	1 085 788	600 721	122 391	1 555 678	916 983	536 368
Farms with—								
1 to 9 .....		3 578	3 093	376	109	332	269	53
10 to 49 .....		7 493	5 463	1 636	394	1 281	865	347
50 to 99 .....		2 060	1 162	727	171	1 039	558	415
100 to 199 .....		1 190	600	462	128	1 004	504	398
200 to 499 .....		891	432	364	95	861	418	353
500 or more .....		637	361	227	49	636	361	226
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	13 930	9 543	3 523	864	4 804	2 737	1 704
number..		1 162 686	698 442	382 967	81 277	1 013 794	599 626	345 017
Beef cows .....	farms..	13 600	9 306	3 458	836	4 564	2 583	1 644
number..		1 003 072	603 244	327 010	72 818	854 990	505 070	289 198
Farms with—								
1 to 9 .....		4 552	3 634	733	185	445	319	105
10 to 49 .....		5 878	4 021	1 506	351	1 460	908	470
50 to 99 .....		1 448	785	538	125	1 010	523	416
100 to 199 .....		790	379	316	95	725	349	293
200 to 499 .....		599	289	260	50	591	286	255
500 or more .....		333	198	105	30	333	198	105
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	460	165	41	354	218	107
number..		159 614	95 198	55 957	8 459	158 804	94 556	55 819
Farms with—								
1 to 4 .....		314	232	69	13	53	35	17
5 to 9 .....		57	49	7	1	6	4	1
10 to 49 .....		65	39	20	6	65	39	20
50 to 99 .....		31	18	10	3	31	18	10
100 to 199 .....		28	17	8	3	28	17	8
200 to 499 .....		73	48	17	8	73	48	17
500 or more .....		98	57	34	7	98	57	34
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms..	11 905	8 059	3 104	742	4 124	2 329	1 490
number..		370 425	224 991	123 352	22 082	313 776	187 384	108 742
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	9 268	3 466	840	4 554	2 569	1 637
number..		275 789	162 355	94 402	19 032	228 108	129 973	82 609

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**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>								
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	14 600	9 983	3 683	934	5 088	2 905	1 791
number..		869 219	519 007	285 342	64 870	769 901	450 692	261 768
\$1,000..		301 660	183 345	96 254	22 061	274 380	164 085	90 066
Calves .....	farms..	12 649	8 549	3 284	816	4 402	2 485	1 573
number..		572 171	339 657	188 890	43 624	491 420	285 395	168 757
Cattle .....	farms..	7 390	5 098	1 839	453	3 050	1 771	1 039
number..		297 048	179 350	96 452	21 246	278 481	165 297	93 011
\$1,000..		151 533	91 918	48 740	10 875	143 092	85 501	47 194
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	578	397	150	31	195	100	77
number..		5 922	3 370	1 814	738	4 758	2 445	1 614
\$1,000..		3 955	2 315	1 147	493	3 204	1 723	1 014
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	1 431	998	349	84	396	210	154
number..		50 309	28 577	18 783	2 949	38 718	20 183	16 593
Farms with—								
1 to 24 .....		1 118	808	249	61	207	113	75
25 to 49 .....		132	100	24	8	44	29	12
50 to 99 .....		80	44	29	7	56	27	23
100 to 199 .....		53	21	27	5	42	17	24
200 to 499 .....		33	19	12	2	32	18	12
500 or more .....		15	6	8	1	15	6	8
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	802	538	215	49	259	131	113
number..		9 062	5 151	3 352	559	6 513	3 279	2 901
Other .....	farms..	1 303	911	322	70	365	191	146
number..		41 247	23 426	15 431	2 390	32 205	16 904	13 692
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	971	641	268	62	335	174	139
number..		96 512	50 696	39 425	6 391	82 732	40 701	36 822
\$1,000..		7 997	4 491	3 051	455	6 784	3 593	2 854
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	189	112	63	14	50	19	25
number..		36 635	16 177	16 783	3 675	32 723	(D)	15 774
\$1,000..		1 394	563	654	177	1 261	(D)	628
Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	857	578	227	52	270	135	119
number..		12 427	6 596	5 057	774	9 973	4 813	4 600
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	766	519	201	46	257	131	110
number..		6 389	3 474	2 557	358	5 069	2 474	2 316
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	651	422	187	42	230	112	105
number..		6 038	3 122	2 500	416	4 904	2 339	2 284
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	336	267	63	6	84	60	23
number..		5 722	4 409	1 184	129	2 310	1 632	(D)
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	209	168	38	3	52	35	16
number..		2 512	1 841	618	53	865	536	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	187	145	37	5	57	37	18
number..		4 071	3 402	567	102	1 995	1 668	(D)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	121	96	22	3	28	14	13
number..		2 611	1 983	572	56	1 002	629	(D)
pounds of wool..		13 992	10 681	2 975	336	5 270	3 190	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	6 791	4 900	1 513	378	2 108	1 244	717
number..		54 878	40 338	10 878	3 662	24 229	16 334	6 279
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	1 720	1 313	306	101	680	474	153
number..		8 235	6 045	1 770	420	6 038	4 274	1 425
Goats inventory .....	farms..	1 287	1 038	211	38	226	156	59
number..		24 209	16 176	7 534	499	9 382	3 715	5 490
Goats sold .....	farms..	574	453	102	19	110	72	33
number..		13 122	7 001	5 659	462	6 982	1 809	4 892
<b>POULTRY</b>								
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	1 203	955	208	40	245	178	56
number..		12 605 047	7 989 409	2 979 438	1 636 200	12 582 555	7 971 631	2 975 817
Farms with—								
1 to 399 .....		1 104	873	196	35	148	97	45
400 to 3,199 .....		4	3	1	—	2	2	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		10	10	—	—	10	10	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		22	19	3	—	22	19	3
20,000 to 49,999 .....		33	30	1	2	33	30	1
50,000 to 99,999 .....		14	10	4	—	14	10	4
100,000 or more .....		16	10	3	3	16	10	3
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	1 157	916	201	40	225	162	52
number..		11 608 529	7 351 276	2 621 375	1 635 878	11 589 123	7 335 857	2 618 159
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	237	190	40	7	50	36	14
number..		996 518	638 133	358 063	322	993 432	635 774	357 658
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	267	200	52	15	132	99	25
number..		8 180 675	5 499 333	1 795 547	885 795	8 173 760	5 493 816	1 794 745
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	321	255	58	8	286	226	52
number..		105 967 210	82 815 814	18 694 857	4 456 539	105 677 252	82 525 919	18 694 794
Farms with—								
1 to 1,999 .....		45	32	11	2	11	4	5
2,000 to 59,999 .....		10	9	1	—	10	9	1
60,000 to 99,999 .....		22	21	1	—	22	21	1
100,000 or more .....		244	193	45	6	243	192	45
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	165	126	34	5	26	20	6
number..		732	513	199	20	164	96	68
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	52	40	10	2	11	8	2
number..		783	452	(D)	(D)	535	258	(D)

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**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>								
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	673	518	77	748	314	388
acres..	bushels..	69 623	25 967	40 040	3 616	(D)	21 668	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	5 440	956	1 990	692	3 165	267	(D)
acres..		167	77	79	11		1 760	823
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		638	423	176	39	193	101	76
25 to 99 acres .....		404	173	204	27	331	137	175
100 to 249 acres .....		179	63	106	10	177	62	105
250 to 499 acres .....		36	12	24	—	36	12	24
500 acres or more .....		11	2	8	1	11	2	8
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	85	87	14	168	73	83
acres..	pounds..	6 881	2 314	3 930	637	6 844	(D)	3 918
Irrigated .....	farms..	16 191	980	5 741	579	9 331	323	(D)
acres..		115	46	63	6	115	46	63
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	2	1	—	—	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	6	1	1	1	1	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	6	2	—	3	2	1
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	3	1	—	2	2	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	13	14	3	28	13	13
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	15	14	3	32	15	14
25.0 acres or more .....		102	40	55	7	102	40	55
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	139	234	31	348	108	211
acres..	bushels..	41 021	11 343	27 432	2 246	39 740	(D)	26 996
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 025	521	301 744	672 131	51 646	1 003 636	(D)
acres..		30	13	15	2	28	11	15
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		79	35	40	4	44	17	24
25 to 99 acres .....		184	60	105	19	163	47	98
100 to 249 acres .....		106	33	66	7	106	33	66
250 to 499 acres .....		25	9	15	1	25	9	15
500 acres or more .....		10	2	8	—	10	2	8
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	57	62	21	117	41	57
acres..	cwt..	41 255	10 018	23 708	7 530	41 234	(D)	23 704
Irrigated .....	farms..	8 815	285	2 116	522 562	1 472	995	5 225 366
acres..		39 690	9 973	23 047	6 670	39 675	(D)	23 044
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	24	12	1	15	8	7
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	10	—	2	11	10	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	3	4	4	11	3	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	4	14	4	22	4	14
250.0 acres or more .....		58	16	32	10	58	16	32
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	93	50	9	132	81	42
acres..	tons..	421 421	215 374	199 558	6 489	421 369	215 341	199 539
Irrigated .....	farms..	15 718	897	8 020	875	7 442	1 019	781
acres..		100	59	34	7	97	56	34
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	318	361	71	673	272	338
acres..	pounds..	76 682	24 527	46 467	5 688	75 956	24 144	46 280
Irrigated .....	farms..	209 914	666	64 019	587	132 433	13 461	641
acres..		115	51	59	5	107	46	56
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		254	144	84	26	184	100	64
25 to 99 acres .....		285	108	150	27	278	106	147
100 to 249 acres .....		144	43	88	13	144	43	88
250 to 499 acres .....		39	13	23	3	39	13	23
500 acres or more .....		28	10	16	2	28	10	16
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	4 798	3 135	1 442	221	2 383	1 291	954
acres..	tons, dry..	265 985	132 091	114 129	19 765	215 665	95 726	102 505
Irrigated .....	farms..	697 410	340 591	302 228	54 591	600 407	268 974	281 294
acres..		254	145	96	13	180	92	76
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	1 806	545	68	672	432	219
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	1 042	580	96	1 085	598	425
100 to 249 acres .....		480	221	220	39	448	196	215
250 to 499 acres .....		127	43	75	9	125	42	74
500 acres or more .....		54	23	22	9	53	23	21
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	1 500	736	504	260	1 214	515	460
acres..		250 562	61 162	127 130	62 269	249 719	60 605	126 941
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	471	359	210	885	344	343
acres..		221 516	52 501	114 126	54 889	221 113	52 201	114 070
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	292	65	34	151	97	32
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	256	117	65	394	231	107
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	99	158	57	312	98	157
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	50	66	40	156	50	66
250.0 acres or more .....		201	39	98	64	201	39	98

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**Table 46. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms				Farms with sales of \$10,000 or more			
	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Tenants
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.</b>								
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—Con.								
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	130	98	55	224	82	92
acres..		30 275	5 177	14 912	10 187	30 212	5 128	14 906
Irrigated .....	farms..	192	72	73	47	159	45	70
acres..		27 908	4 294	13 560	10 054	27 874	4 269	13 555
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	319	187	95	37	239	124	79
acres..		43 595	8 866	22 092	12 637	43 516	(D)	22 066
Irrigated .....	farms..	169	92	52	25	133	64	45
acres..		31 165	7 168	17 413	6 584	31 131	(D)	17 400
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	192	91	57	44	177	77	57
acres..		39 900	9 741	21 793	8 365	39 897	(D)	21 793
Irrigated .....	farms..	174	77	53	44	161	65	53
acres..		39 384	9 686	21 332	8 365	39 381	(D)	21 332
Land in orchards.....	farms..	9 379	8 571	674	134	4 689	4 125	482
acres..		981 910	874 544	95 689	11 677	933 231	828 279	93 672
Irrigated .....	farms..	6 650	6 078	470	102	3 885	3 469	354
acres..		895 071	799 525	85 231	10 314	864 786	770 710	84 018
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		2 300	2 119	149	32	295	233	49
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		3 770	3 478	226	66	1 513	1 324	153
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		2 167	1 979	170	18	1 769	1 600	154
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		574	505	61	8	546	480	58
250.0 acres or more.....		568	490	68	10	566	488	68
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	7 676	7 039	537	100	4 269	3 802	405
Bearing and nonbearing...acres..		959 364	856 531	91 926	10 906	920 899	819 624	90 702
								62
								10 573

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 47. Summary by Type of Organization: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Corporation					Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	
				Total	Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stockholders	Total	10 or less stockholders		
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>										
Farms .....	34 799	27 173	2 716	4 516	3 881	3 724	635	568	394	
number..				13.0	11.2	10.7	1.8	1.6	1.1	
percent..	100.0	78.1	7.8							
Land in farms .....	10 454 217	4 473 744	1 614 276	4 087 035	3 021 393	2 106 448	1 065 642	648 595	279 162	
acres..	300	165	594	905	779	566	1 678	1 142	709	
Average size of farm .....										
acres..										
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>										
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	34 799	27 173	2 716	4 516	3 881	3 724	635	568	
\$1,000..	6 004 554	1 568 299	781 857	3 589 249	2 614 013	2 092 768	975 236	635 749	394	
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	172 550	57 715	287 871	794 785	673 541	561 968	1 535 804	1 119 277	
Farms by value of sales:										
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		6 759	6 038	331	314	269	264	45	43	
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		4 771	4 399	191	134	111	108	23	22	
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		4 405	4 006	212	150	132	132	18	16	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		4 122	3 537	302	239	212	207	27	25	
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		3 560	2 842	328	354	301	292	53	52	
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 012	765	99	136	120	118	16	12	
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 958	1 398	212	312	272	265	40	36	
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		847	559	96	181	161	160	20	19	
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		2 188	1 363	240	546	473	463	73	71	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		2 188	1 189	274	697	627	612	70	68	
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		1 061	492	162	397	343	333	54	49	
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		837	333	120	380	328	312	52	40	
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		657	187	87	374	308	280	66	58	
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		232	37	32	160	122	103	38	30	
\$5,000,000 or more .....		202	28	30	142	102	75	40	27	
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	1 007	112	62	50	45	12	6	
\$1,000..	27 613	17 388	3 942	6 192	2 688	1 750	3 504	(D)	91	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	133	92	22	19	14	11	5	—	
\$1,000..	17 307	8 912	2 891	5 504	2 114	1 197	3 390	(D)	—	
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	768	82	34	27	27	7	4	
\$1,000..	12 985	9 528	2 261	1 140	891	891	249	217	56	
Wheat .....	farms..	185	151	21	13	11	11	2	—	
\$1,000..	1 991	1 571	281	139	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	339	39	20	18	18	2	3	
\$1,000..	6 798	5 362	(D)	525	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	10	1	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	116	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Oats .....	farms..	57	48	5	4	4	4	—	—	
\$1,000..	369	315	12	42	42	42	—	—	—	
Other grains .....	farms..	84	55	12	16	12	7	4	2	
\$1,000..	5 354	(D)	(D)	4 346	1 120	181	3 226	(D)	(D)	
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	282	34	22	22	21	—	4	
\$1,000..	42 478	30 199	6 831	5 116	5 116	(D)	—	—	332	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	200	152	27	19	19	18	—	2	
\$1,000..	39 438	27 408	(D)	5 059	5 059	(D)	—	—	(D)	
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	156	24	5	4	4	1	1	
\$1,000..	25 595	18 991	4 488	(D)	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	126	99	21	5	4	4	1	1	
\$1,000..	24 528	17 960	4 452	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 549	(D)	(D)	
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	1 886	147	181	166	158	15	14	
\$1,000..	27 263	18 969	4 117	4 088	(D)	3 559	(D)	(D)	89	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	104	67	15	22	20	20	2	—	
\$1,000..	13 518	7 814	3 196	2 508	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 497	1 102	135	242	200	189	42	41	
\$1,000..	1 083 921	285 600	(D)	620 071	469 525	400 722	150 546	(D)	18	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	633	340	80	207	168	157	39	38	
\$1,000..	1 070 203	273 699	(D)	619 346	468 849	400 046	150 497	(D)	6	
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	5 083	999	1 355	1 171	1 089	184	142	
\$1,000..	1 493 470	253 670	300 922	909 130	645 247	418 075	263 883	133 897	147	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 117	812	422	827	716	649	111	80	
\$1,000..	1 429 633	210 068	291 083	900 124	637 501	410 587	262 623	132 834	56	
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	3 031	330	1 720	1 448	1 419	272	263	
\$1,000..	1 449 951	321 673	97 128	1 029 725	849 341	771 029	180 384	171 038	40	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 182	862	151	1 159	973	949	186	178	
\$1,000..	1 407 414	293 761	94 063	1 018 479	839 772	761 544	178 707	169 391	10	
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	804	112	158	127	111	31	23	
\$1,000..	666 971	133 777	52 735	472 890	185 072	92 537	287 818	97 505	10	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	449	243	66	134	106	92	28	6	
\$1,000..	657 657	125 777	52 021	472 356	184 588	92 088	287 767	(D)	7 503	
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	814	59	67	51	48	16	14	
\$1,000..	348 000	174 433	(D)	153 945	107 958	88 268	45 987	(D)	2	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	385	312	30	43	33	30	10	—	
\$1,000..	346 702	173 491	19 386	153 824	107 845	88 155	45 980	(D)	—	
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	171	34	100	92	88	8	7	
\$1,000..	382 431	91 015	63 818	225 438	214 535	201 102	10 903	(D)	3	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	250	120	31	96	89	85	7	6	
\$1,000..	381 084	89 871	63 739	225 314	(D)	201 013	(D)	(D)	2 160	
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	12 551	973	928	849	801	79	69	
\$1,000..	301 660	136 374	58 325	101 313	82 617	63 135	18 696	14 258	148	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	961	462	189	291	263	231	28	19	
\$1,000..	215 179	67 174	50 622	92 942	74 756	55 570	18 187	13 854	4 441	

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<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>										
Total sales (see text)—Con.										
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	971	889	37	29	24	24	5	16	
\$1,000..		7 997	6 628	327	941	926	926	15	102	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	25	21	1	2	2	2	—	1	
\$1,000..		3 922	2 823	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	209	174	11	21	21	20	—	3	
\$1,000..		288	172	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3 287	2 725	175	372	332	327	40	15	
\$1,000..		146 917	79 410	9 023	58 437	45 708	45 578	12 729	47	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	405	244	32	129	113	111	16	—	
\$1,000..		126 258	62 921	8 127	55 211	42 752	(D)	12 458	(D)	
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 954	1 682	122	139	118	114	21	11	
\$1,000..		12 547	6 851	2 252	3 424	3 209	2 703	215	21	
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>										
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	34 785	27 288	2 719	4 439	3 827	3 680	612	339	
\$1,000..		4 384 423	1 138 402	605 846	2 596 059	1 897 268	1 495 818	698 791	44 116	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	126 043	41 718	222 819	584 830	495 758	406 472	1 141 816	808 521	
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	5 463	466	716	627	587	89	52	
\$1,000..		145 770	56 875	13 691	74 414	60 088	47 228	14 326	12 609	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 655	4 114	269	241	216	208	25	24	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 298	928	116	244	215	205	29	28	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		498	318	51	120	106	94	14	12	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	74	18	57	50	44	7	6	
\$250,000 or more .....		95	29	12	54	40	36	14	2	
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	12 607	933	1 186	1 066	1 022	120	112	
\$1,000..		446 861	182 149	47 063	215 454	173 921	164 206	41 533	40 238	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		12 068	10 813	619	572	530	527	42	42	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 724	1 219	184	298	271	256	27	23	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		490	261	63	157	133	121	24	9	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		163	87	25	47	38	31	9	7	
\$250,000 or more .....		384	227	42	112	94	87	18	3	
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	8 725	7 241	556	847	750	720	97	91	
\$1,000..		333 773	142 263	29 862	160 300	123 021	116 112	37 278	36 162	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 060	6 210	380	409	383	380	26	61	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		856	567	87	196	162	155	34	6	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		341	180	36	114	101	91	13	11	
\$100,000 or more .....		468	284	53	128	104	94	24	22	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	9 902	7 103	762	1 973	1 716	1 648	257	222	
\$1,000..		217 919	47 133	19 530	150 229	107 475	89 700	42 755	18 362	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....		5 201	4 485	259	423	389	384	34	34	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 235	1 512	207	501	452	438	49	42	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 462	779	179	494	420	405	74	66	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		409	177	39	191	164	157	27	22	
\$50,000 or more .....		595	150	78	364	291	264	73	3	
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	17 413	2 060	3 490	3 019	2 887	471	411	
\$1,000..		347 559	89 100	50 104	203 726	133 654	91 437	70 072	31 906	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		17 517	14 549	1 220	1 560	1 398	1 384	162	156	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 971	2 297	559	1 052	918	886	134	121	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		784	319	134	324	272	257	52	47	
\$50,000 or more .....		963	248	147	554	431	360	123	87	
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	12 591	1 806	3 203	2 751	2 619	452	394	
\$1,000..		350 556	79 120	52 266	213 904	151 802	100 922	62 102	33 133	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		13 342	10 474	1 108	1 609	1 416	1 379	193	181	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2 913	1 599	413	828	730	713	98	93	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		647	291	124	229	182	175	47	45	
\$50,000 or more .....		939	227	161	537	423	352	114	75	
Petroleum products .....	farms..	29 619	23 041	2 365	3 921	3 378	3 253	543	480	
\$1,000..		131 636	45 676	16 223	68 361	49 571	40 035	18 790	10 712	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		25 775	21 316	1 897	2 319	1 990	1 970	329	308	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 008	1 532	352	1 087	983	948	104	87	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		459	128	59	267	222	193	45	36	
\$50,000 or more .....		377	65	57	248	183	142	65	49	
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	20 205	15 520	1 642	2 879	2 486	2 373	393	340	
\$1,000..		50 229	17 648	6 178	25 866	20 201	16 182	5 665	2 709	
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	21 549	16 420	1 829	3 051	2 609	2 498	442	386	
\$1,000..		60 717	19 836	7 998	32 189	21 532	17 347	10 657	6 673	
Natural gas .....	farms..	394	238	31	122	98	95	24	23	
\$1,000..		2 120	644	138	1 335	1 072	993	262	3	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	18 420	13 271	1 658	3 289	2 838	2 720	451	391	
\$1,000..		18 570	7 548	1 909	8 972	6 766	5 513	2 206	202	

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<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>										
—Con.										
Total farm production expenses—Con.										
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	16 055 18 117	1 648 6 451	3 504 29 950	3 048 21 743	2 908 17 606	456 8 207	395 5 589	196 504	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	12 666	973	1 318	1 183	1 147	135	121	125	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	2 741	427	1 284	1 124	1 089	160	147	53	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	579	194	707	589	540	118	96	15	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	49	35	103	86	77	17	13	1	
\$50,000 or more .....	133	20	19	92	66	55	26	18	2	
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	7 651 196 281	1 300 107 779	3 120 614 414	2 681 452 148	2 551 356 697	439 162 266	390 115 817	128 7 133	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	5 059	620	754	639	623	115	109	70	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	1 406	283	662	614	609	48	46	30	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	850	235	783	691	659	92	82	12	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	203	74	432	355	330	77	67	10	
\$250,000 or more .....	716	133	88	489	382	330	107	86	6	
Workers by days worked:										
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	6 515 50 085	3 240 11 270	754 6 898	2 453 31 525	2 087 23 620	1 977 19 696	366 7 905	325 6 123	68 392	
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	10 419 74 884	6 880 29 891	1 111 11 641	2 325 33 084	1 993 24 219	1 908 20 496	332 8 865	296 7 822	103 268	
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 481 477 373	4 489 75 680	1 004 92 385	1 886 298 105	1 642 211 508	1 565 165 069	244 86 596	205 49 058	102 11 204	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	1 246	159	198	186	185	12	10	9	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	1 784	311	408	376	373	32	27	27	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	993	248	501	437	422	64	58	41	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	214	83	197	172	170	25	22	11	
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	252	203	582	471	415	111	88	14	
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	24 621 195 760	18 922 61 748	1 861 22 848	3 620 108 762	3 147 79 964	3 013 60 484	473 28 799	411 18 768	218 2 402	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	16 409	1 282	1 630	1 462	1 435	168	155	169	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	2 177	419	1 246	1 096	1 061	150	132	35	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	206	74	318	268	249	50	44	5	
\$50,000 or more .....	651	130	86	426	321	268	105	80	9	
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 081 99 207	4 895 22 434	670 22 907	1 432 53 183	1 220 39 190	1 152 28 631	212 13 993	175 7 273	84 682	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	2 430	187	292	248	242	44	42	30	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	1 697	232	517	451	433	66	61	26	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	625	141	365	316	305	49	34	24	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	68	49	93	80	70	13	10	3	
\$50,000 or more .....	302	75	61	165	125	102	40	28	1	
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	6 998 64 103	1 034 38 134	2 048 133 280	1 757 95 024	1 660 65 501	291 38 256	259 25 901	82 2 020	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	4 542	528	638	539	529	99	93	41	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	2 071	293	729	661	637	68	62	26	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	324	146	452	382	354	70	62	9	
\$100,000 or more .....	363	61	67	229	175	140	54	42	6	
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 671 175 286	5 439 47 066	770 30 151	1 396 96 580	1 197 71 309	1 134 45 575	199 25 271	176 18 302	66 1 489	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	847	86	50	50	49	—	—	7	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	2 514	269	322	258	252	64	59	24	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	1 781	255	527	478	470	49	46	25	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	167	64	159	139	130	20	17	3	
\$50,000 or more .....	571	130	96	338	272	233	66	54	7	
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 034 62 250	2 571 17 037	402 7 983	1 036 36 700	896 23 715	838 19 926	140 12 985	121 7 599	25 531	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	1 080	133	136	122	121	14	9	11	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	1 002	118	288	250	244	38	37	4	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	395	82	366	329	302	37	30	5	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	45	36	128	106	99	22	21	1	
\$50,000 or more .....	204	49	33	118	89	72	29	24	4	
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 277 56 025	3 012 16 196	353 9 467	892 30 059	763 20 932	738 17 763	129 9 128	118 7 393	20 302	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	2 436	227	470	413	405	57	56	9	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	236	39	93	78	75	15	11	6	
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	226	28	122	110	107	12	10	2	
\$25,000 or more .....	383	114	59	207	162	151	45	41	3	
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	32 866 136 457	25 975 47 287	2 538 18 885	4 035 68 265	3 484 44 605	3 340 31 263	551 23 660	490 10 067	318 2 020	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	24 506	2 037	2 596	2 245	2 200	351	330	255	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	962	226	599	549	539	50	42	30	
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	375	168	449	387	364	62	54	15	
\$25,000 or more .....	648	132	107	391	303	237	88	64	18	
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 438 561 134	22 335 136 502	2 500 88 113	4 309 333 951	3 717 255 643	3 573 219 275	592 78 308	528 55 435	294 2 568	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	19 440	1 735	2 020	1 777	1 741	243	223	229	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	2 099	474	1 055	917	899	138	128	49	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	358	95	347	306	288	41	35	4	
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	226	86	311	261	239	50	45	5	
\$100,000 or more .....	905	212	110	576	456	406	120	97	7	

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<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>										
All farms .....	number..	34 787	27 290	2 719	4 439	3 827	3 680	612	547	
\$1,000..		1 573 154	405 899	164 730	983 735	707 606	587 889	276 129	193 182	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	45 222	14 874	60 585	221 612	184 898	159 752	451 191	353 167	
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	16 344	11 671	1 580	2 983	2 585	2 474	398	346	
Average net gain .....	dollars..	107 434	42 768	124 365	348 466	291 030	252 294	721 506	581 900	
Gain of—										
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 351	2 146	133	57	50	50	7	7	
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 250	5 233	476	512	490	479	22	16	
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 267	2 797	511	921	796	782	125	120	
\$50,000 or more .....		3 476	1 495	460	1 493	1 249	1 163	244	203	
Farms with net losses .....	number..	18 443	15 619	1 139	1 456	1 242	1 206	214	201	
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 909	5 970	27 890	38 281	35 996	30 088	51 543	40 572	
Loss of—										
Less than \$1,000 .....		3 024	2 733	154	108	92	89	16	15	
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		12 083	10 697	618	617	510	510	107	105	
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 970	2 055	297	573	514	500	59	56	
\$50,000 or more .....		366	134	70	158	126	107	32	25	
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>										
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	2 428	247	210	187	175	23	20	
\$1,000..		11 074	7 584	1 887	1 400	1 109	984	291	224	
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	3 768	403	547	478	443	69	60	
\$1,000..		44 430	22 597	4 662	16 155	10 387	8 523	5 767	5 142	
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	1 135	102	124	106	100	18	14	
\$1,000..		17 039	11 027	1 270	4 136	(D)	2 196	(D)	1 296	
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	1 125	113	167	139	124	28	27	
\$1,000..		10 962	4 104	1 844	4 950	3 727	2 854	1 223	(D)	
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	615	66	55	54	43	1	1	
\$1,000..		9 654	4 627	(D)	4 029	(D)	744	(D)	(D)	
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	1 326	168	271	240	227	31	26	
\$1,000..		6 774	2 840	(D)	3 040	2 770	2 729	271	75	
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>										
Total .....	farms..	118	102	10	6	6	5	—	—	
\$1,000..		1 936	1 579	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Corn .....	farms..	62	55	6	1	1	1	—	—	
\$1,000..		138	130	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Wheat .....	farms..	15	13	2	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		62	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cotton .....	farms..	32	27	3	2	2	2	—	—	
\$1,000..		808	768	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	24	1	3	3	2	—	—	
\$1,000..		900	594	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>										
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	20 611	2 265	3 937	3 375	3 240	562	498	
acres..		3 639 850	1 509 109	503 309	1 572 352	1 023 335	718 370	549 017	250 449	
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	15 109	1 946	3 687	3 150	3 020	537	475	
acres..		2 435 702	751 062	352 655	1 297 988	821 454	554 266	476 534	218 251	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	12 348	1 172	2 194	1 876	1 853	318	303	
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	1 272	272	420	370	358	50	47	
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	732	177	297	270	260	27	24	
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	523	176	339	294	275	45	36	
500 to 999 acres .....		458	160	77	214	181	163	33	23	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	50	40	109	83	70	26	22	
2,000 acres or more .....		174	24	32	114	76	41	38	4	
Cropland:										
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	8 998	664	642	590	572	52	44	
acres..		895 684	625 226	106 581	148 984	134 174	113 366	14 810	13 417	
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	630	64	61	49	47	12	9	
acres..		39 152	25 761	6 148	5 951	(D)	(D)	665	1 292	
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	315	21	36	33	32	3	3	
acres..		14 457	(D)	1 019	3 845	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	185	25	28	22	19	6	4	
acres..		47 061	(D)	4 998	37 398	6 716	2 660	30 682	(D)	
Idle .....	farms..	2 816	2 115	220	430	355	333	75	59	
acres..		207 794	92 984	31 908	78 186	52 483	41 009	25 703	7 786	
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	7 447	654	679	617	582	62	54	
acres..		2 132 308	1 112 536	312 790	617 995	534 788	378 325	83 207	43 522	
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	3 480	328	301	276	261	25	22	
acres..		1 091 166	571 582	167 442	330 354	266 232	202 019	64 122	34 862	
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	5 046	431	481	440	417	41	36	
acres..		1 041 142	540 954	145 348	287 641	268 556	176 306	19 085	8 660	

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<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>										
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	8 495 4 069 927	6 929 1 593 288	631 726 310	848 1 657 328	747 1 292 698	701 883 819	101 364 630	94 323 362	87 93 001	
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	18 528 612 132	14 787 258 811	1 236 71 867	2 300 239 360	1 983 170 572	1 898 125 934	317 68 788	274 31 262	205 42 094	
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	12 673 1 862 404	8 002 353 592	1 356 271 827	3 118 1 210 857	2 654 734 010	2 486 467 956	464 476 847	410 235 299	197 26 128	
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	12 202 1 729 449	7 636 326 143	1 320 255 122	3 056 1 123 573	2 600 690 929	2 486 440 740	456 432 644	402 (D)	190 24 611	
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	745 132 955	548 27 449	63 16 705	119 87 284	104 43 081	98 27 216	15 44 203	14 (D)	15 1 517	
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	1 624 125 878	1 375 95 095	135 16 374	89 10 399	79 8 361	75 7 961	10 2 038	9 (D)	25 4 010	
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>										
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 787 23 047 695	27 290 9 540 224	2 719 3 476 478	4 439 9 604 589	3 827 6 491 385	3 680 4 710 455	612 3 113 205	547 1 578 213	339 426 403	
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	349 587	1 278 587	2 162	2 163 683	1 696 207	1 280 015	5 086 936	2 885 216	
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241		2 260		2 350	2 150	2 232	2 915	2 421	
Farms by value group:										
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3 876	3 379	225	227	206	204	21	21	45	
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	3 559	3 022	190	312	286	284	26	26	35	
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 014	2 690	137	179	152	143	27	26	8	
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	4 566	3 976	308	261	201	201	60	60	21	
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 577	3 007	256	280	251	251	29	22	34	
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	9 404	7 412	716	1 177	1 040	1 027	137	128	99	
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3 411	2 346	331	699	605	586	94	88	35	
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	1 611	874	215	504	426	415	78	71	18	
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 138	412	216	488	417	393	71	58	22	
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	172	125	312	243	176	69	47	22	
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>										
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 786 1 421 654	27 289 726 072	2 719 179 604	4 439 499 994	3 827 388 029	3 680 333 143	612 111 965	547 80 895	339 15 983	
Farms by value group:										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 239	5 355	407	419	373	370	46	46	58	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7 040	6 039	429	512	450	439	62	60	60	
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7 275	5 906	576	696	603	594	93	90	97	
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	8 371	6 523	683	1 097	958	935	139	125	68	
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 203	2 157	290	729	634	605	95	83	27	
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 683	967	192	513	424	401	89	77	11	
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	685	268	89	317	267	243	50	36	11	
\$500,000 or more .....	290	74	53	156	118	93	38	30	7	
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>										
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	27 590 54 030	21 406 33 753	2 045 4 744	3 882 14 893	3 358 12 255	3 222 10 507	524 2 638	461 1 952	257 640	
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	28 305 51 110	22 373 34 628	2 180 5 010	3 485 10 916	3 008 9 173	2 881 8 112	477 1 743	417 1 401	267 556	
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 078 20 900	12 724 15 361	1 131 1 479	2 041 3 810	1 795 3 317	1 727 3 154	246 493	219 432	182 250	
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	16 943 30 210	13 047 19 267	1 486 3 531	2 249 7 106	1 891 5 856	1 798 4 958	358 1 250	307 969	161 306	
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	15 680 25 210	12 041 16 446	1 359 2 803	2 124 5 693	1 782 4 767	1 691 4 026	342 926	329 700	156 268	
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 067 5 000	2 163 2 821	336 728	540 1 413	454 1 089	415 932	86 324	71 269	28 38	
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	648 773	540 613	53 (D)	54 85	44 62	41 59	10 23	5 11	1 (D)	
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	249 325	209 267	20 (D)	19 26	19 (D)	18 26	— —	— —	1 (D)	
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	5 327 6 241	4 315 4 959	412 530	540 678	502 629	483 604	38 49	36 (D)	60 74	
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 056 2 612	1 697 2 145	172 218	183 241	175 232	157 209	8 9	6 (D)	4 8	
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>										
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 087 2 939 310	17 287 1 027 225	2 054 435 248	3 474 1 440 788	3 005 922 461	2 873 618 934	469 518 327	409 267 611	272 36 049	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—										
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 714 1 596 677	6 826 418 218	1 289 241 425	2 416 912 397	2 073 609 362	1 972 414 592	343 303 035	295 149 256	183 24 637	
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 128 285 104	1 331 97 415	255 51 186	492 125 961	401 95 383	375 74 971	91 30 578	78 24 443	50 10 542	
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	7 246 1 033 768	4 478 256 164	927 161 841	1 725 595 301	1 469 365 486	1 402 273 953	256 229 815	218 107 299	116 20 462	
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 491 1 494 432	6 963 450 808	1 203 225 369	2 182 793 599	1 851 458 806	1 755 339 455	331 334 793	293 125 699	143 24 656	
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 041 116 751	724 64 805	142 22 678	149 27 476	128 21 787	123 16 553	21 5 689	19 (D)	26 1 792	

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<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>										
All operators .....	34 799	27 173	2 716	4 516	3 881	3 724	635	568	394	
Full owners .....	26 962	21 326	2 061	3 235	2 805	2 683	430	372	340	
Part owners .....	5 492	4 374	403	679	590	561	89	83	36	
Tenants .....	2 345	1 473	252	602	486	480	116	113	18	
White .....	33 481	26 092	2 651	4 354	3 747	3 593	607	543	384	
Full owners .....	26 043	20 563	2 014	3 131	2 724	2 604	407	352	335	
Part owners .....	5 230	4 162	387	648	561	533	87	81	33	
Tenants .....	2 208	1 367	250	575	462	456	113	110	16	
Black and other races .....	1 318	1 081	65	162	134	131	28	25	10	
Full owners .....	919	763	47	104	81	79	23	20	5	
Part owners .....	262	212	16	31	29	28	2	2	3	
Tenants .....	137	106	2	27	24	24	3	3	2	
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>										
Land owned..... farms..	32 502	25 736	2 468	3 920	3 401	3 250	519	455	378	
acres..	8 310 743	3 075 129	1 266 245	3 709 255	2 668 371	1 780 437	1 040 884	559 900	260 114	
Owned land in farms .....	32 454	25 700	2 464	3 914	3 395	3 244	519	455	376	
acres..	7 648 772	2 863 581	1 119 461	3 410 402	2 473 012	1 614 038	937 390	554 551	255 328	
Land rented or leased from others .....	7 895	5 897	658	1 286	1 080	1 045	206	196	54	
farms..	2 851 242	1 636 500	497 844	693 050	562 120	505 189	130 930	96 692	23 848	
acres..	15 172	11 173	1 423	2 506	2 039	1 977	467	387	70	
landlords..	7 837	5 847	655	1 281	1 076	1 041	205	196	54	
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	2 805 445	1 610 163	494 815	676 633	548 381	492 410	128 252	94 044	23 834
acres..	2 406	1 851	214	295	258	238	37	29	46	
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	707 768	237 885	149 813	315 270	209 098	179 178	106 172	7 997	4 800
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>										
Operators by place of residence:										
On farm operated .....	21 333	18 786	946	1 497	1 364	1 336	133	125	104	
Not on farm operated .....	10 106	5 963	1 469	2 418	1 975	1 869	443	394	256	
Not reported .....	3 360	2 424	301	601	542	519	59	49	34	
Operators by principal occupation:										
Farming .....	15 782	11 481	1 258	2 922	2 539	2 421	383	335	121	
Other .....	19 017	15 692	1 458	1 594	1 342	1 303	252	233	273	
Operators by days worked off farm:										
None .....	14 054	10 389	1 009	2 486	2 141	2 043	345	307	170	
Any .....	18 337	14 955	1 513	1 667	1 418	1 373	249	228	202	
1 to 99 days .....	2 407	1 855	213	317	274	265	43	39	22	
100 to 199 days .....	2 778	2 262	216	273	241	234	32	31	27	
200 days or more .....	13 152	10 838	1 084	1 077	903	874	174	158	153	
Not reported .....	2 408	1 829	194	363	322	308	41	33	22	
Operators by years on present farm:										
2 years or less .....	1 924	1 421	159	310	244	239	66	59	34	
3 or 4 years .....	2 802	2 216	222	341	284	274	57	50	23	
5 to 9 years .....	5 431	4 149	484	755	623	616	132	124	43	
10 years or more .....	18 327	14 520	1 327	2 280	2 006	1 908	274	244	200	
Average years on present farm .....	17.3	17.7	16.0	15.5	16.1	15.8	11.7	11.6	17.8	
Not reported .....	6 315	4 867	524	830	724	687	106	91	94	
Operators by age group:										
Under 25 years .....	150	122	21	6	5	5	1	1	1	
25 to 34 years .....	1 493	1 128	119	235	199	194	36	35	11	
35 to 44 years .....	5 664	4 183	421	999	833	811	166	145	61	
45 to 49 years .....	4 111	3 052	311	710	611	592	99	90	38	
50 to 54 years .....	4 518	3 557	380	526	442	432	84	79	55	
55 to 59 years .....	4 356	3 410	345	559	482	455	77	68	42	
60 to 64 years .....	3 937	3 176	297	430	361	351	69	64	34	
65 to 69 years .....	3 802	3 022	293	433	379	359	54	42	54	
70 years and over .....	6 768	5 523	529	618	569	525	49	44	98	
Average age .....	56.5	57.0	56.4	53.7	54.1	53.8	51.6	51.4	58.8	
Operators by sex:										
Male .....	29 415	22 809	2 369	3 926	3 359	3 208	567	506	311	
Female .....	5 384	4 364	347	590	522	516	68	62	83	
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1 060	758	54	243	191	186	52	48	5	
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>										
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	27 173	27 173	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
acres..	4 473 744	4 473 744	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Partnership .....	farms..	2 716	—	2 716	—	—	—	—	—	
acres..	1 614 276	—	1 614 276	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Corporation:										
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	—	3 881	3 881	3 724	—	—	—	
acres..	3 021 393	—	3 021 393	3 021 393	2 106 448	—	—	—	—	
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	157	—	157	157	—	—	—	—	
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	3 724	—	3 724	3 724	3 724	—	—	—	
Other than family held .....	farms..	635	—	635	—	—	635	568	—	
acres..	1 065 642	—	1 065 642	—	—	—	1 065 642	648 595	—	
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	67	—	67	—	—	67	—	—	
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	568	—	568	—	—	568	568	—	
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	394	—	—	—	—	—	—	394	
acres..	279 162	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	279 162	

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>										
Farm-related injuries:										
Operator and family members .....	farms..	199	144	15	36	29	29	7	7	
number..		238	169	19	45	37	37	8	8	
Hired workers .....	farms..	588	103	58	418	322	284	96	85	
number..		1 531	182	174	1 156	832	623	324	282	
Farm-related deaths:										
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	
number..		(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	
Hired workers .....	farms..	6	2	—	4	2	2	2	1	
number..		6	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>										
1 to 9 acres .....		7 394	6 025	336	981	851	844	130	130	
10 to 49 acres .....		12 750	10 494	854	1 270	1 072	1 056	198	188	
50 to 69 acres .....		2 206	1 794	173	217	193	191	24	23	
70 to 99 acres .....		2 388	1 914	178	271	241	236	30	28	
100 to 139 acres .....		1 984	1 578	181	208	188	185	20	17	
140 to 179 acres .....		1 354	1 074	123	144	119	112	25	23	
180 to 219 acres .....		949	712	96	123	108	103	15	13	
220 to 259 acres .....		671	488	76	100	88	87	12	9	
260 to 499 acres .....		2 067	1 504	212	319	272	261	47	43	
500 to 999 acres .....		1 390	867	181	315	275	252	40	31	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		802	400	146	236	204	191	32	24	
2,000 acres or more .....		844	323	160	332	270	206	62	39	
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>										
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		1 118	991	79	34	29	28	5	2	
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		1 250	910	110	216	178	172	38	37	
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		8 245	5 694	1 060	1 320	1 141	1 067	179	138	
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		4 902	2 887	311	1 674	1 409	1 390	265	258	
Other crop farming (1119) .....		2 137	1 817	144	157	136	117	21	14	
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		137	116	16	4	3	3	1	1	
Cotton farming (11192) .....		202	174	19	8	8	7	—	1	
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 798	1 527	109	145	125	107	20	13	
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		12 040	10 651	732	539	488	459	51	45	
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		309	277	20	4	4	4	—	8	
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		296	162	34	97	89	85	8	7	
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		468	434	13	18	13	13	5	3	
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		560	465	42	52	40	37	12	11	
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		272	261	3	8	7	7	1	1	
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		3 202	2 624	168	397	347	345	50	50	
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>										
Cattle and calves inventory .....	farms..	15 849	13 709	1 020	970	888	838	82	72	
number..		1 808 900	874 856	316 584	574 969	494 333	394 157	80 636	61 848	
Farms with—										
1 to 9 .....		3 578	3 363	110	91	81	79	10	9	
10 to 49 .....		7 493	6 863	355	214	193	189	21	21	
50 to 99 .....		2 060	1 740	168	125	116	114	9	8	
100 to 199 .....		1 190	913	128	130	115	110	15	14	
200 to 499 .....		891	595	122	161	153	149	8	5	
500 or more .....		637	235	137	249	230	197	19	15	
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	13 930	11 980	928	885	807	761	78	68	
number..		1 162 686	551 968	199 301	382 997	328 366	265 921	54 631	42 743	
Beef cows .....	farms..	13 600	11 770	900	796	727	685	69	60	
number..		1 003 072	512 984	175 750	286 999	236 501	179 326	50 498	27 339	
Farms with—										
1 to 9 .....		4 552	4 272	156	102	83	83	19	18	
10 to 49 .....		5 878	5 277	330	215	203	198	12	12	
50 to 99 .....		1 448	1 182	138	109	98	92	11	10	
100 to 199 .....		790	564	100	110	101	100	9	8	
200 to 499 .....		599	358	98	132	126	119	6	4	
500 or more .....		333	117	78	128	116	93	12	10	
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	500	49	113	102	98	11	10	
number..		159 614	38 984	23 551	95 998	91 865	86 595	4 133	(D)	
Farms with—										
1 to 4 .....		314	288	12	13	12	12	1	1	
5 to 9 .....		57	50	4	3	—	3	3	—	
10 to 49 .....		65	59	3	3	2	2	1	1	
50 to 99 .....		31	22	1	7	7	7	—	1	
100 to 199 .....		28	24	1	3	3	3	—	—	
200 to 499 .....		73	32	12	28	26	25	2	1	
500 or more .....		98	25	16	56	52	49	4	1	
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms..	11 905	10 220	802	764	707	658	57	51	
number..		370 425	174 997	66 926	121 226	104 015	82 213	17 211	12 113	
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	11 706	899	839	772	727	67	60	
number..		275 789	147 891	50 357	70 746	61 952	46 023	8 794	6 992	

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<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>										
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	14 600	12 551	973	928	849	801	79	69	
number..		869 219	414 848	154 521	284 961	238 795	188 049	46 166	36 362	
\$1,000..		301 660	136 374	58 325	101 313	82 617	63 135	18 696	14 258	
Calves .....	farms..	12 649	10 868	850	800	740	697	60	52	
number..		572 171	285 089	97 984	178 333	150 566	117 603	27 767	23 777	
\$1,000..		150 127	72 837	26 865	47 241	39 130	29 249	8 112	7 013	
Cattle .....	farms..	7 390	6 230	528	546	498	468	48	43	
number..		297 048	129 759	56 537	106 628	88 229	70 446	18 399	12 585	
\$1,000..		151 533	63 537	31 460	54 071	43 487	33 886	10 584	7 246	
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	578	510	31	17	15	15	2	2	
number..		5 922	4 100	484	912	(D)	(D)	(D)	426	
\$1,000..		3 955	2 832	372	473	(D)	(D)	(D)	279	
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	1 431	1 310	51	52	45	45	7	7	
number..		50 309	42 305	1 714	5 629	5 495	5 495	134	134	
Farms with—										
1 to 24 .....		1 118	1 022	42	38	34	34	4	4	
25 to 49 .....		132	122	4	5	2	2	3	3	
50 to 99 .....		80	75	2	3	3	3	—	—	
100 to 199 .....		53	48	2	3	3	3	—	—	
200 to 499 .....		33	32	—	1	1	1	—	—	
500 or more .....		15	11	1	2	2	2	—	1	
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	802	746	26	25	21	21	4	4	
number..		9 062	7 704	(D)	1 139	1 128	1 128	11	(D)	
Other .....	farms..	1 303	1 188	48	50	44	44	6	6	
number..		41 247	34 601	(D)	4 490	4 367	4 367	123	(D)	
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	971	889	37	29	24	24	5	5	
number..		96 512	79 828	2 799	12 902	12 762	12 762	140	140	
\$1,000..		7 997	6 628	327	941	926	926	15	15	
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	189	176	4	6	6	6	—	3	
number..		36 635	29 118	40	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	
\$1,000..		1 394	1 172	2	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	
Litters of pigs farrowed between—										
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	857	799	28	25	21	21	4	4	
number..		12 427	10 198	(D)	1 968	1 956	1 956	12	(D)	
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	766	711	28	23	19	19	4	4	
number..		6 389	5 258	(D)	997	990	990	7	(D)	
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	651	608	20	18	14	14	4	4	
number..		6 038	4 940	(D)	971	966	966	5	(D)	
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	336	285	14	32	31	30	1	1	
number..		5 722	4 107	(D)	930	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	209	178	12	16	16	15	—	3	
number..		2 512	1 883	(D)	176	176	(D)	—	(D)	
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	187	154	11	19	19	18	—	3	
number..		4 071	2 795	(D)	898	898	(D)	—	(D)	
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	121	99	10	10	10	9	—	2	
number..		2 611	1 885	(D)	159	159	(D)	—	(D)	
pounds of wool..		13 992	9 826	(D)	916	916	(D)	—	(D)	
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	6 791	5 752	391	593	536	514	57	53	
number..		54 878	38 433	4 058	11 958	9 946	9 678	2 012	1 913	
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	1 720	1 424	91	196	174	171	22	22	
number..		8 235	6 097	471	1 621	1 439	1 432	182	182	
Goats inventory .....	farms..	1 287	1 159	50	72	62	61	10	9	
number..		24 209	21 922	735	1 461	1 189	(D)	272	(D)	
Goats sold .....	farms..	574	528	23	21	18	18	3	3	
number..		13 122	12 529	(D)	235	216	216	19	(D)	
<b>POULTRY</b>										
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	1 203	1 110	42	46	35	35	11	10	
number..		12 605 047	2 557 459	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Farms with—										
1 to 399 .....		1 104	1 039	37	24	20	20	4	3	
400 to 3,199 .....		4	4	—	—	—	—	—	4	
3,200 to 9,999 .....		10	7	—	2	2	2	—	1	
10,000 to 19,999 .....		22	19	2	1	1	1	—	—	
20,000 to 49,999 .....		33	25	2	6	5	5	1	1	
50,000 to 99,999 .....		14	12	—	2	2	2	—	—	
100,000 or more .....		16	4	1	11	5	5	6	6	
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	1 157	1 068	38	46	35	35	11	10	
number..		11 608 529	2 028 104	(D)	9 304 303	5 977 370	5 977 370	3 326 933	(D)	
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	237	216	13	8	6	6	2	2	
number..		996 518	529 355	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	267	225	14	27	19	18	8	7	
number..		8 180 675	3 910 125	4 088 420	2 463 607	(D)	1 624 813	(D)	(D)	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	321	278	26	16	14	13	2	1	
number..		105 967 210	87 904 038	11 570 493	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Farms with—										
1 to 1,999 .....		45	40	2	3	3	3	—	—	
2,000 to 59,999 .....		10	8	—	1	1	1	—	1	
60,000 to 99,999 .....		22	19	3	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 or more .....		244	211	21	12	10	9	2	2	
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	165	152	7	4	4	4	—	2	
number..		732	643	(D)	19	19	(D)	—	(D)	
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	52	50	—	2	2	2	—	—	
number..		783	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 47. Summary by Type of Organization: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Corporation					Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	
				Total	Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stockholders	Total	10 or less stockholders		
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>										
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	1 117	101	46	39	38	7	4	
acres..	69 623	52 886		10 282	6 125	4 569	(D)	1 556	330	
bushels..	5 440 956	3 968 104		882 308	567 294	422 517	(D)	144 777	23 250	
Irrigated .....	farms..	167	130	19	18	15	14	3	—	
acres..	14 593	9 542		2 723	2 328	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		638	596	36	6	5	5	1	1	
25 to 99 acres .....		404	349	32	21	19	19	2	2	
100 to 249 acres .....		179	144	19	14	12	11	2	1	
250 to 499 acres .....		36	22	11	3	2	2	1	1	
500 acres or more .....		11	6	3	2	1	1	1	—	
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	156	24	5	4	4	1	1	
acres..	6 881	4 919		1 326	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
pounds..	16 191 980	11 708 741		2 977 894	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	92	19	4	3	3	1	1	
acres..	5 559	3 807		1 217	535	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	28	2	—	—	—	—	—	
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	29	3	—	—	—	—	—	
25.0 acres or more .....		102	78	18	5	4	4	1	1	
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	342	39	20	18	18	2	1	
acres..	41 021	33 105		4 891	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	223	
bushels..	1 025 521	809 541		133 581	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Irrigated .....	farms..	30	26	1	3	2	2	1	—	
acres..	2 317	1 807		(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		79	73	3	2	2	2	—	1	
25 to 99 acres .....		184	155	22	7	7	7	—	—	
100 to 249 acres .....		106	89	7	8	6	6	2	2	
250 to 499 acres .....		25	17	6	2	2	2	—	—	
500 acres or more .....		10	8	1	1	1	1	—	—	
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	81	16	38	26	26	12	5	
acres..	41 255	13 037		(D)	20 618	13 943	13 943	6 675	(D)	
cwt..	8 815 285	2 927 955		4 343 550	2 888 483	2 888 483	1 455 067	1 455 067	223 (D)	
Irrigated .....	farms..	116	63	14	35	25	25	10	4	
acres..	39 690	12 874		(D)	19 769	13 094	13 094	6 675	(D)	
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	32	1	3	—	—	3	2	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	10	—	—	—	—	—	2	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	7	1	2	2	2	—	1	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	13	2	7	3	3	4	4	
250.0 acres or more .....		58	19	12	26	21	21	5	1	
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	56	19	73	56	42	17	10	
acres..	421 421	26 462		18 806	368 917	122 151	36 068	246 766	7 236	
tons..	15 718 897	982 772		677 171	13 833 641	4 679 628	1 315 049	9 154 013	225 313	
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	21	17	59	47	33	12	3	
acres..	389 800	25 593		14 805	345 466	117 354	31 271	228 112	69 334	
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	633	75	40	38	37	2	2	
acres..	76 682	53 972		11 977	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
pounds..	209 914 666	144 780 864		35 100 137	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	91	15	9	7	7	2	2	
acres..	15 184	9 891		1 703	3 590	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		254	228	22	2	2	2	—	2	
25 to 99 acres .....		285	239	29	17	16	16	1	1	
100 to 249 acres .....		144	128	10	6	6	5	—	—	
250 to 499 acres .....		39	23	7	9	9	9	—	—	
500 acres or more .....		28	15	7	6	5	5	1	1	
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	4 798	4 035	335	387	356	337	31	28	
acres..	265 985	173 150		26 882	62 757	58 912	52 942	3 845	3 557	
tons, dry..	697 410	442 151		71 041	176 165	167 674	154 741	8 491	8 003	
Irrigated .....	farms..	254	165	28	56	53	52	3	5	
acres..	19 727	7 718		2 667	9 037	(D)	(D)	(D)	305	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	2 221	113	68	62	62	6	17	
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	1 413	142	150	140	135	10	8	
100 to 249 acres .....		480	310	56	105	95	90	10	9	
250 to 499 acres .....		127	72	15	39	36	29	3	3	
500 acres or more .....		54	19	9	25	23	21	2	1	
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	1 500	1 103	135	242	200	189	42	20	
acres..	250 562	78 432		33 282	134 979	112 836	90 770	22 143	3 868	
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	695	103	224	184	174	40	18	
acres..	221 516	62 803		24 682	130 173	108 041	86 076	22 132	3 858	
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	351	18	15	13	13	2	7	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	377	31	24	21	21	3	6	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	225	36	48	42	40	6	5	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	91	26	39	33	31	6	5	
250.0 acres or more .....		201	59	24	116	91	84	25	2	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 47. Summary by Type of Organization: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Individual or family	Partnership	Total	Corporation				Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc.	
					Family held		Other than family held			
					Total	10 or less stock-holders	Total	10 or less stock-holders		
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.</b>										
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—Con.										
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	201	16	56	45	45	11	11	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	30 275 192	10 530 119	1 252 12	18 482 52	15 539 41	15 539 41	2 943 11	2 943 11	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	27 908	9 525	645	17 731	14 788	14 788	2 943	2 943	
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms.. acres..	319 43 595	241 10 234	23 (D)	45 23 469	35 21 638	30 17 852	10 1 831	10 1 831	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	169 31 165	107 5 220	13 (D)	39 21 767	29 19 936	24 16 150	10 1 831	10 1 831	
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms.. acres..	192 39 900	106 10 555	21 (D)	62 20 947	47 12 070	45 (D)	15 8 877	15 8 877	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	174 39 384	89 10 489	21 (D)	61 20 497	46 11 620	44 (D)	15 8 877	15 8 877	
Land in orchards .....	farms.. acres..	9 379 981 910	6 584 197 726	1 133 195 360	1 470 570 791	1 277 413 346	1 194 272 199	193 157 444	149 73 316	
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	6 650 895 071	4 323 163 501	897 179 683	1 286 534 839	1 111 391 365	1 033 255 540	175 143 474	135 71 926	
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	farms..	2 300	2 071	85	115	104	103	11	10	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	farms..	3 770	2 962	407	328	280	274	48	42	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	farms..	2 167	1 229	378	494	444	433	50	45	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	farms..	574	208	140	215	196	182	19	14	
250.0 acres or more .....	farms..	568	114	123	318	253	202	65	38	
All citrus fruit .....	farms.. Bearing and nonbearing acres..	7 676 959 364	5 132 183 020	1 041 193 345	1 336 565 268	1 162 409 011	1 080 268 091	174 156 258	132 72 308	
									167 17 731	

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator (years)						
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>									
Farms .....	number..	34 799	15 782	62	615	2 110	3 207	3 514	6 274
	percent..	100.0	45.4	.2	1.8	6.1	9.2	10.1	18.0
Land in farms .....	acres..	10 454 217	7 759 452	22 484	207 097	1 018 252	1 799 912	2 297 025	2 414 682
Average size of farm .....	acres..	300	492	363	337	483	561	654	385
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>									
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	34 799	15 782	62	615	2 110	3 207	3 514	6 274
\$1,000..		6 004 554	5 079 949	17 782	223 680	930 323	1 356 299	1 502 941	1 048 923
Average per farm .....	dollars..	172 550	321 882	286 802	363 708	440 911	422 918	427 701	167 186
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		6 759	1 775	5	54	177	261	329	949
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		4 771	1 410	3	36	97	206	268	800
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		4 405	1 556	9	26	134	217	350	820
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		4 122	1 679	2	46	160	233	398	840
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		3 560	1 699	9	57	199	305	349	780
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 012	509	4	20	64	100	126	195
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 958	1 061	2	45	152	227	231	404
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		847	458	6	17	56	82	127	170
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		2 188	1 444	6	89	223	347	344	435
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		2 188	1 655	10	90	301	469	380	405
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		1 061	871	2	50	213	241	199	166
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		837	699	1	45	150	213	169	121
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		657	583	1	22	112	197	141	110
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		232	210	—	7	41	63	54	45
\$5,000,000 or more .....		202	173	2	11	31	46	49	34
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	729	9	42	120	153	194	211
\$1,000..		27 613	23 401	157	1 408	4 220	5 603	8 698	3 315
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	133	118	1	5	26	38	32	16
\$1,000..		17 307	16 011	(D)	(D)	2 839	4 104	6 572	1 606
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	540	5	26	91	104	150	164
\$1,000..		12 985	10 351	99	453	1 902	2 613	3 277	2 007
Wheat .....	farms..	185	133	3	11	16	40	41	22
\$1,000..		1 991	1 715	(D)	(D)	178	557	684	200
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	287	7	27	47	73	77	56
\$1,000..		6 798	5 722	38	263	1 203	1 843	1 504	871
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	9	—	1	1	1	4	2
\$1,000..		116	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	57	41	1	4	8	11	14	3
\$1,000..		369	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	105	11
Other grains .....	farms..	84	68	—	5	13	20	14	16
\$1,000..		5 354	5 295	—	(D)	847	522	3 112	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	271	6	24	67	60	60	47
\$1,000..		42 478	36 994	310	1 945	9 518	10 278	10 433	4 511
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	200	176	2	15	45	50	44	20
\$1,000..		39 438	34 742	(D)	(D)	8 967	9 820	10 064	3 898
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	150	1	8	25	39	44	33
\$1,000..		25 595	23 667	(D)	(D)	4 230	7 186	8 233	3 190
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	126	112	1	5	20	36	36	14
\$1,000..		24 528	22 886	(D)	(D)	4 159	7 101	8 008	2 877
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	1 132	1	45	137	215	300	434
\$1,000..		27 263	19 933	(D)	(D)	3 670	4 114	7 696	3 430
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	104	87	1	7	20	24	27	8
\$1,000..		13 518	11 949	(D)	(D)	2 391	2 518	5 546	757
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 497	1 029	12	80	186	268	226	257
\$1,000..		1 083 921	978 771	(D)	(D)	187 782	269 218	242 361	210 244
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	633	548	4	54	108	178	111	93
\$1,000..		1 070 203	970 513	(D)	(D)	186 320	267 607	240 490	207 601
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	3 625	7	111	440	669	733	1 665
\$1,000..		1 493 470	1 227 644	342	42 365	241 100	273 644	331 482	338 710
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 117	1 457	3	54	232	332	304	532
\$1,000..		1 429 633	1 199 029	276	41 717	238 171	268 939	325 799	324 127
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	2 913	12	140	599	903	679	580
\$1,000..		1 449 951	1 176 690	5 845	57 086	229 130	444 106	292 369	148 155
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 182	1 694	6	91	383	592	378	244
\$1,000..		1 407 414	1 155 663	5 753	56 269	225 096	438 501	286 912	143 131
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	816	8	61	140	165	206	236
\$1,000..		666 971	638 859	(D)	(D)	78 014	97 653	284 996	150 104
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	449	392	3	23	75	103	109	79
\$1,000..		657 657	631 768	(D)	(D)	76 757	96 727	283 244	147 866
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	507	1	27	93	118	153	115
\$1,000..		348 000	252 195	(D)	(D)	50 873	45 638	102 428	43 164
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	385	296	1	17	52	78	105	43
\$1,000..		346 702	251 581	(D)	(D)	50 678	45 475	102 327	43 029
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	256	—	17	41	65	82	51
\$1,000..		382 431	354 034	—	13 123	62 636	114 047	112 810	51 418
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	250	222	—	17	39	59	73	34
\$1,000..		381 084	353 238	—	13 123	(D)	113 881	112 577	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	6 581	22	183	590	1 019	1 501	3 266
\$1,000..		301 660	234 316	811	5 349	29 051	48 747	66 391	83 967
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	961	774	2	27	97	169	193	286
\$1,000..		215 179	186 788	(D)	24 487	41 002	54 900	54 900	62 341

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**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	number..	19 017	88	878	3 554	5 422	4 779	4 296
	percent..	54.6	.3	2.5	10.2	15.6	13.7	12.3
Land in farms .....	acres..	2 694 765	8 168	95 978	492 406	776 802	686 189	635 222
Average size of farm .....	acres..	142	93	109	139	143	144	148
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	19 017	88	878	3 554	5 422	4 779	4 296
\$1,000..		924 605	2 109	28 947	171 099	166 422	312 517	243 510
Average per farm .....	dollars..	48 620	23 962	32 970	48 143	30 694	65 394	56 683
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		4 984	18	207	845	1 424	1 252	1 238
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		3 361	18	170	625	1 020	849	679
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		2 849	18	142	512	860	713	604
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 443	7	117	504	698	596	521
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		1 861	8	95	357	502	498	401
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		503	1	25	110	139	120	108
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		897	8	35	185	245	217	207
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		389	—	12	68	111	106	92
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		744	6	25	142	189	196	186
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		533	2	29	114	124	132	132
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		190	1	9	40	49	32	59
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		138	1	8	29	38	34	28
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		74	—	3	13	14	17	27
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		22	—	1	4	6	6	5
\$5,000,000 or more .....		29	—	—	6	3	11	9
Grains .....	farms..	458	4	26	89	141	104	94
	\$1,000..	4 212	11	278	990	1 173	874	885
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	15	—	—	4	5	3	3
	\$1,000..	1 296	—	—	305	424	251	316
Corn for grain .....	farms..	348	3	20	72	105	77	71
	\$1,000..	2 634	(D)	186	650	723	485	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	52	1	7	16	11	9	8
	\$1,000..	276	(D)	24	(D)	92	42	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	114	1	11	26	32	25	19
	\$1,000..	1 076	(D)	68	272	216	320	(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	2	—	—	—	1	—	1
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	16	—	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Other grains .....	farms..	16	—	—	4	5	4	3
	\$1,000..	58	—	—	3	36	14	5
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	71	2	7	16	16	20	10
	\$1,000..	5 484	(D)	(D)	1 173	1 649	2 070	291
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	24	1	2	4	7	8	2
	\$1,000..	4 696	(D)	(D)	952	1 518	1 827	(D)
Tobacco .....	farms..	36	—	3	8	6	10	9
	\$1,000..	1 928	—	(D)	(D)	210	404	336
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	14	—	1	6	2	3	2
	\$1,000..	1 642	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	275	(D)
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	1 101	5	46	225	341	285	199
	\$1,000..	7 330	103	258	1 637	2 212	1 805	1 315
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	17	—	—	5	6	2	4
	\$1,000..	1 569	—	—	593	523	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	468	8	28	96	151	120	65
	\$1,000..	105 149	130	1 480	7 360	11 043	74 914	10 224
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	85	—	3	19	25	29	9
	\$1,000..	99 690	—	(D)	(D)	9 241	73 495	9 509
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	3 959	10	114	597	945	978	1 315
	\$1,000..	265 826	110	8 770	55 143	34 979	50 047	116 776
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	660	—	18	93	128	165	256
	\$1,000..	230 604	—	7 903	50 001	26 776	41 025	104 898
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	2 208	9	124	583	636	491	365
	\$1,000..	273 261	179	8 609	56 029	61 412	106 236	40 797
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	488	1	32	130	131	121	73
	\$1,000..	251 751	(D)	(D)	50 081	54 870	101 608	37 550
Other crops .....	farms..	268	4	14	50	84	72	44
	\$1,000..	28 112	(D)	(D)	2 040	5 327	8 218	12 109
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	57	1	1	9	18	13	15
	\$1,000..	25 890	(D)	(D)	4 715	7 455	11 829	11 829
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	435	5	27	116	164	87	36
	\$1,000..	95 805	1 028	3 735	20 326	16 425	38 830	15 462
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	89	3	6	22	31	16	11
	\$1,000..	95 122	(D)	(D)	20 172	16 141	38 651	15 412
Dairy products .....	farms..	52	—	1	4	14	12	21
	\$1,000..	28 397	—	(D)	(D)	4 302	5 089	16 325
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	28	—	1	2	7	7	11
	\$1,000..	27 846	—	(D)	(D)	4 162	4 957	16 073
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	8 019	48	407	1 430	2 341	2 184	1 609
	\$1,000..	67 344	215	2 274	12 691	15 375	19 006	17 783
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	187	—	5	40	47	46	49
	\$1,000..	28 392	—	698	5 593	4 430	8 276	9 395

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**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming								
		Total	Age of operator (years)							
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over		
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>										
Total sales (see text)—Con.										
Hogs and pigs..... farms.. \$1,000..	971	427	2	27	54	80	120	144		
Sales of \$50,000 or more..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 997	6 045	(D)	(D)	1 050	1 098	2 346	1 211		
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. \$1,000..	25	22	2	5	4	8	3		
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	3 922	3 590	—	(D)	874	468	1 698	(D)	
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. \$1,000..	209	98	—	—	20	17	33	28	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	288	183	—	—	7	32	41	103	
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)	
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text)..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 287	1 596	4	67	323	418	376	408		
Total sales (see text)—Con.										
Hogs and pigs..... farms.. \$1,000..	146 917	107 218	27	3 155	29 042	34 937	32 656	7 401		
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	405	320	—	15	79	113	84	29	
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. \$1,000..	126 258	95 343	—	2 375	26 621	31 687	29 845	4 815	
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. \$1,000..	1 954	931	5	30	134	164	216	382	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. \$1,000..	12 547	9 876	3	643	1 186	3 624	1 548	2 871	
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>										
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. \$1,000..	34 785	15 700	72	664	2 093	3 064	3 461	6 346	
Average per farm .....	dollars..	4 384 423	3 649 392	12 104	153 028	692 665	937 046	1 074 696	779 854	
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. \$1,000..	126 043	232 445	168 111	230 463	330 943	305 824	310 516	122 889	
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. \$1,000..	6 697	3 210	31	165	436	636	763	1 179	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 655	1 844	30	100	190	335	405	784	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 298	787	—	39	118	159	177	294	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		498	369	1	20	96	85	100	67	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	129	—	5	16	32	57	19	
\$250,000 or more .....		95	81	—	1	16	25	24	15	
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. \$1,000..	14 829	6 863	31	273	764	1 205	1 602	2 988	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		446 861	369 270	153	13 700	68 811	90 538	129 448	66 619	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		12 068	4 923	29	140	409	793	1 117	2 435	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		1 724	1 094	1	96	201	206	229	361	
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		490	379	1	14	66	85	84	129	
\$250,000 or more .....		163	139	—	6	32	25	56	20	
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. \$1,000..	384	328	—	17	56	96	116	43	
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. \$1,000..	8 725	4 165	22	183	461	777	1 067	1 655	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		333 773	269 549	126	11 688	53 395	54 512	101 517	48 311	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		7 060	2 935	20	106	226	486	768	1 329	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		856	569	1	44	118	131	86	189	
\$100,000 or more .....		341	267	1	11	47	63	58	87	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. \$1,000..	468	394	—	22	70	97	155	50	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. \$1,000..	9 902	5 784	18	211	923	1 364	1 465	1 803	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$999 .....		217 919	187 439	606	9 644	30 286	49 241	59 001	38 663	
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		5 201	2 332	10	54	191	424	638	1 015	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2 235	1 374	1	35	265	308	357	408	
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		1 462	1 184	4	73	264	333	282	228	
\$100,000 or more .....		409	355	—	19	86	121	71	58	
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. \$1,000..	595	539	3	30	117	178	117	94	
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. \$1,000..	23 235	11 545	49	425	1 601	2 342	2 624	4 504	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		347 559	293 962	863	13 851	52 955	62 457	93 722	70 114	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		17 517	7 324	35	261	797	1 274	1 669	3 288	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		3 971	2 758	8	101	514	672	595	868	
\$50,000 or more .....		784	621	3	26	131	159	162	140	
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. \$1,000..	963	842	3	37	159	237	198	208	
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. \$1,000..	17 841	9 289	36	389	1 475	2 017	2 027	3 345	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		350 556	295 373	1 202	14 038	54 935	79 872	76 509	68 818	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		13 342	6 035	24	241	813	1 151	1 333	2 473	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 913	1 927	9	75	394	498	413	538	
\$50,000 or more .....		647	521	—	32	115	129	93	152	
Petroleum products .....	farms.. \$1,000..	939	806	3	41	153	239	188	182	
Petroleum products .....	farms.. \$1,000..	29 619	14 167	60	584	1 923	2 803	3 205	5 592	
Farms with expenses of—										
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		131 636	107 868	496	4 830	19 005	27 604	31 815	24 118	
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		25 775	11 034	54	445	1 313	1 845	2 458	4 919	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		3 008	2 400	3	100	467	716	583	531	
\$50,000 or more .....		459	407	2	21	82	157	72	73	
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. \$1,000..	377	326	1	18	61	85	92	69	
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. \$1,000..	20 205	10 229	23	449	1 437	2 115	2 236	3 969	
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. \$1,000..	50 229	40 729	254	1 781	6 265	10 925	11 841	9 663	
Natural gas .....	farms.. \$1,000..	21 549	10 632	59	422	1 512	2 084	2 493	4 062	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. \$1,000..	60 717	49 884	211	2 296	9 528	12 116	14 545	11 189	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. \$1,000..	394	278	1	15	67	74	64	57	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. \$1,000..	2 120	1 724	(D)	(D)	374	389	665	220	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. \$1,000..	18 420	10 461	47	426	1 556	2 212	2 367	3 853	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. \$1,000..	18 570	15 530	(D)	(D)	2 837	4 174	4 764	3 046	

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>								
Total sales (see text)—Con.								
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	544	2	47	133	187	120	55
\$1,000..		1 952	(D)	(D)	443	590	531	119
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	1	1	—
\$1,000..		331	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	111	—	5	22	40	27	17
\$1,000..		105	—	(D)	(D)	45	40	12
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	1 691	8	113	438	613	367	152
\$1,000..		39 699	136	1 738	10 615	11 681	4 455	11 074
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	85	2	5	24	18	24	12
\$1,000..		30 915	(D)	(D)	8 501	8 413	2 837	9 936
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 023	8	42	204	322	259	188
\$1,000..		2 671	14	82	346	983	791	455
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	19 085	104	906	3 607	5 214	4 698	4 556
\$1,000..		735 031	1 689	19 136	134 013	132 632	255 087	192 474
Average per farm .....	dollars..	38 514	16 244	21 121	37 154	25 438	54 297	42 246
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	3 487	22	199	923	1 130	721	492
\$1,000..		39 447	117	954	10 118	7 858	10 109	10 292
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 811	21	174	732	917	563	404
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		511	—	19	145	159	117	71
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		129	1	5	37	47	33	6
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		22	—	1	5	4	4	8
\$250,000 or more .....		14	—	—	4	3	4	3
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	7 966	50	398	1 664	2 376	2 059	1 419
\$1,000..		77 591	509	3 019	12 031	15 367	32 078	14 588
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 145	49	386	1 490	2 077	1 888	1 255
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		630	—	3	126	255	128	118
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		111	—	4	28	17	29	33
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		24	—	1	4	10	5	4
\$250,000 or more .....		56	1	4	16	17	9	9
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	4 560	30	266	937	1 390	1 173	764
\$1,000..		64 224	(D)	(D)	9 381	11 925	29 469	10 366
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 125	29	259	857	1 215	1 082	683
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		287	—	—	36	135	58	58
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		74	—	2	26	13	20	13
\$100,000 or more .....		74	1	5	18	27	13	10
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	4 118	32	215	837	1 146	1 098	790
\$1,000..		30 480	17	410	6 218	5 795	15 387	2 653
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....		2 869	26	150	524	770	814	585
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		861	6	46	211	270	190	138
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		278	—	15	80	78	58	47
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		54	—	3	9	16	17	9
\$50,000 or more .....		56	—	1	13	12	19	11
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	11 690	73	1 491	2 060	3 084	2 990	2 992
\$1,000..		53 597	96	1 065	10 242	9 853	15 663	16 679
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		10 193	73	450	1 835	2 674	2 622	2 539
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 213	—	38	180	367	278	350
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		163	—	1	24	21	62	55
\$50,000 or more .....		121	—	2	21	22	28	48
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	8 552	61	384	1 651	2 267	2 148	2 041
\$1,000..		55 182	109	925	10 029	8 525	14 922	20 673
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 307	55	359	1 461	1 954	1 871	1 607
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		986	6	23	150	257	213	337
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		126	—	—	18	26	36	46
\$50,000 or more .....		133	—	2	22	30	28	51
Petroleum products .....	farms..	15 452	61	770	2 985	4 336	3 836	3 464
\$1,000..		23 768	50	754	4 587	5 370	6 614	6 392
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		14 741	59	741	2 855	4 148	3 680	3 258
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		608	2	26	108	168	126	178
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		52	—	1	11	13	13	14
\$50,000 or more .....		51	—	2	11	7	17	14
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	9 976	45	514	2 003	2 795	2 376	2 243
\$1,000..		9 500	20	335	1 723	2 152	2 602	2 668
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	10 917	50	517	1 991	3 125	2 796	2 438
\$1,000..		10 833	22	316	2 192	2 509	3 086	2 708
Natural gas .....	farms..	116	1	1	5	56	27	26
\$1,000..		396	(D)	(D)	(D)	43	229	47
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	7 959	27	349	1 730	2 242	1 861	1 750
\$1,000..		3 040	(D)	(D)	(D)	666	697	969

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**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>								
—Con.								
Total farm production expenses—Con.								
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	10 837 44 435	44 96	468 1 271	1 576 6 843	2 323 12 932	2 387 13 626	4 039 9 668
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	6 272	14	265	742	1 031	1 302	2 918
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	3 046	25	141	536	825	684	835
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	1 251	5	57	258	382	317	232
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	156	—	3	23	49	48	33
\$50,000 or more .....	133	112	—	2	17	36	36	21
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	7 501 805 620	34 1 775	342 35 869	1 248 139 665	1 739 225 267	1 638 249 734	2 500 153 309
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	3 029	4	128	331	452	688	1 426
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	1 677	16	82	330	435	340	474
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	1 529	12	69	331	439	312	366
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	626	—	31	133	204	148	110
\$250,000 or more .....	716	640	2	32	123	209	150	124
Workers by days worked:								
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	6 515 50 085	4 747 42 930	31 133	225 1 828	878 7 806	1 219 12 428	1 034 11 045	1 360 9 690
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	10 419 74 884	6 097 58 317	14 156	275 3 026	992 11 840	1 398 17 506	1 340 13 587	2 078 12 202
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 481 477 373	4 156 388 285	27 1 738	155 16 331	802 84 681	1 013 88 997	847 101 011	1 312 95 527
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	620	7	12	92	164	121	224
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	1 252	—	49	222	260	285	436
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	1 124	7	49	244	282	202	340
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	316	11	12	56	93	51	93
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	844	2	33	188	214	188	219
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	24 621 195 760	12 547 157 788	66 655	558 5 271	1 757 28 557	2 537 40 114	2 925 50 069	4 704 33 121
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	8 604	46	382	1 013	1 432	1 972	3 759
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	2 870	16	130	547	778	683	716
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	494	2	22	95	158	115	102
\$50,000 or more .....	651	579	2	24	102	169	155	127
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 081 99 207	4 195 85 286	17 (D)	187 (D)	718 24 394	954 21 872	837 12 818	1 482 22 311
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	1 409	4	78	192	223	284	628
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	1 479	1	56	279	362	314	467
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	894	11	36	145	241	158	303
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	162	—	8	43	47	34	30
\$50,000 or more .....	302	251	1	9	59	81	47	54
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	5 834 199 040	11 505	351 6 368	1 138 35 960	1 428 51 151	1 439 57 833	1 467 47 223
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	2 823	5	198	503	607	704	806
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	1 877	2	106	420	482	444	423
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	818	3	37	158	247	210	163
\$100,000 or more .....	363	316	1	10	57	92	81	75
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 671 175 286	4 204 142 798	4 325	220 2 368	742 26 500	1 033 38 975	1 068 39 527	1 137 35 104
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	433	—	39	67	93	116	118
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	1 476	—	92	209	297	368	510
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	1 460	1	65	314	388	378	314
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	338	2	14	62	101	87	72
\$50,000 or more .....	571	497	1	10	90	154	119	123
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 034 62 250	2 748 56 242	10 180	198 4 001	652 9 460	684 12 176	634 18 307	570 12 119
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	740	1	62	231	108	156	182
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	945	4	49	185	284	240	183
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	689	3	59	167	189	131	140
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	190	1	12	32	54	59	32
\$50,000 or more .....	204	184	1	16	37	49	48	33
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 277 56 025	2 573 47 754	10 (D)	202 (D)	567 13 050	603 13 901	611 11 507	580 6 570
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	1 640	6	146	335	325	394	434
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	261	1	18	65	70	59	48
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	344	1	19	92	98	85	49
\$25,000 or more .....	383	328	2	19	75	110	73	49
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	32 866 136 457	14 752 100 440	65 173	530 5 156	1 915 14 990	2 851 20 739	3 338 34 247	6 053 25 135
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	12 320	61	470	1 541	2 196	2 785	5 267
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	1 184	1	22	167	343	227	424
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	728	1	24	112	177	204	210
\$25,000 or more .....	648	520	2	14	95	135	122	152
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 438 561 134	14 333 460 510	62 1 687	605 19 249	2 009 96 730	2 884 128 190	3 204 118 979	5 569 95 675
Farms with expenses of—								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	9 706	30	406	1 122	1 584	2 132	4 432
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	2 614	22	104	472	677	607	732
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	678	—	22	146	198	160	152
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	531	8	38	115	166	108	96
\$100,000 or more .....	905	804	2	35	154	259	197	157

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**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item		Other occupations					
		Total	Age of operator (years)				
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>	—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 566	49	471	2 009	3 007	2 553	2 477
	10 587	33	342	2 276	2 305	2 607	3 023
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	8 810	46	404	1 717	2 453	2 187	2 003
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 459	2	57	222	490	309	379
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	244	1	8	51	58	47	79
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	32	—	2	11	5	3	11
\$50,000 or more .....	21	—	—	8	1	7	5
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 698	33	217	924	1 304	1 142	1 078
	119 987	184	1 928	21 369	19 872	49 333	27 301
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 474	22	188	683	950	868	763
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	704	11	14	159	202	158	160
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	351	—	9	46	116	67	113
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	93	—	5	21	21	20	26
\$250,000 or more .....	76	—	1	15	15	29	16
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	1 768	22	62	327	541	388	428
	7 155	31	117	1 159	1 609	2 630	1 609
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	4 322	24	206	833	1 172	1 058	1 029
	16 567	36	667	2 709	3 502	6 934	2 719
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 325	11	141	554	915	802	902
	89 088	53	2 303	18 396	11 268	22 591	34 478
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	992	—	54	154	334	243	207
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 278	3	47	239	332	333	324
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	659	8	34	88	167	148	214
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	189	—	1	29	51	38	70
\$50,000 or more .....	207	—	5	44	31	40	87
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 074	63	600	2 438	3 538	2 881	2 554
	37 973	167	898	6 516	8 549	11 858	9 985
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	10 886	55	577	2 170	3 207	2 618	2 259
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	8	18	240	297	211	233
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	109	—	3	16	22	31	37
\$50,000 or more .....	72	—	2	12	12	21	25
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 886	21	160	579	844	678	604
	13 921	18	712	2 184	2 957	3 364	4 686
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 530	15	115	291	405	368	336
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	993	6	31	226	331	223	176
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	261	—	13	46	88	59	55
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	51	—	—	5	14	13	19
\$50,000 or more .....	51	—	1	11	6	15	18
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 328	23	259	1 020	1 413	956	657
	38 496	152	1 818	8 371	9 422	10 770	7 963
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 926	21	193	620	987	616	489
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 242	1	59	361	391	305	125
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	113	—	5	30	26	20	32
\$100,000 or more .....	47	1	2	9	9	15	11
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 467	17	225	821	1 137	760	507
	32 487	82	1 607	7 149	7 979	8 653	7 016
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	557	—	40	101	250	88	78
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 653	15	121	358	513	363	283
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 128	1	57	332	347	280	111
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	55	—	3	19	6	11	16
\$50,000 or more .....	74	1	4	11	21	18	19
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 286	8	45	305	424	297	207
	6 008	69	211	1 222	1 443	2 117	947
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	620	—	10	134	188	153	135
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	467	7	28	113	167	115	37
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	159	—	6	51	58	18	26
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	20	—	—	3	8	3	6
\$50,000 or more .....	20	1	1	4	3	8	3
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 704	19	86	418	493	476	212
	8 271	34	497	2 483	1 524	3 062	672
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 502	19	79	351	433	435	185
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	113	—	—	38	42	15	18
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	34	—	—	17	7	5	4
\$25,000 or more .....	55	—	7	12	11	21	4
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	18 114	91	799	3 357	4 974	4 534	4 359
	36 017	61	1 159	5 559	8 331	9 946	10 960
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	17 074	90	766	3 201	4 722	4 256	4 039
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	633	1	27	95	138	171	201
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	279	—	3	46	81	74	75
\$25,000 or more .....	128	—	3	15	33	33	44
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	15 105	72	702	2 955	4 071	3 695	3 610
	100 625	91	2 351	13 635	15 637	46 783	22 129
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	13 718	71	677	2 717	3 684	3 384	3 185
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 063	1	13	187	292	240	330
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	126	—	3	15	45	23	40
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	97	—	4	20	28	17	28
\$100,000 or more .....	101	—	5	16	22	31	27

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator (years)						
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>									
All farms .....	number..	34 787	15 702	72	664	2 093	3 065	3 461	6 347
\$1,000..	dollars..	1 573 154	1 401 644	5 998	59 148	245 294	405 366	411 712	274 126
Average per farm .....	dollars..	45 222	89 265	83 299	89 079	117 197	132 256	118 958	43 190
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	16 344	9 127	35	341	1 400	2 004	2 079	3 268
Average net gain .....	dollars..	107 434	164 350	178 408	182 867	187 702	213 236	210 059	93 207
Gain of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 351	851	3	36	41	159	153	459
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 250	2 770	6	110	289	385	655	1 325
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 267	2 671	20	69	447	609	636	890
\$50,000 or more .....		3 476	2 835	6	126	623	851	635	594
Farms with net losses .....	number..	18 443	6 575	37	323	693	1 061	1 382	3 079
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 909	14 963	6 669	9 936	25 237	20 697	18 090	9 898
Loss of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....		3 024	907	—	44	62	63	114	624
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		12 083	4 041	37	215	348	623	886	1 932
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 970	1 371	—	52	236	322	312	449
\$50,000 or more .....		366	256	—	12	47	53	70	74
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>									
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	1 478	4	53	174	244	351	652
\$1,000..		11 074	6 587	21	308	1 021	1 312	1 743	2 183
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	2 409	5	114	348	409	576	957
\$1,000..		44 430	31 037	53	1 255	6 152	7 149	8 277	8 151
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	825	4	63	167	138	191	262
\$1,000..		17 039	13 043	(D)	(D)	3 018	3 173	2 911	3 141
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	594	—	27	70	96	143	258
\$1,000..		10 962	6 162	—	317	809	1 821	973	2 241
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	318	—	1	24	48	75	170
\$1,000..		9 654	6 523	—	(D)	(D)	719	3 548	1 685
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	1 019	3	33	167	196	240	380
\$1,000..		6 774	5 309	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 436	845	1 084
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>									
Total .....	farms..	118	94	4	7	12	23	29	19
\$1,000..		1 936	1 801	(D)	170	332	237	991	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	62	49	1	4	13	14	13	13
\$1,000..		138	131	(D)	(D)	15	15	72	13
Wheat .....	farms..	15	11	1	2	1	3	2	2
\$1,000..		(D)	19	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	9	2	2	1	2	2	—
\$1,000..		62	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	32	26	3	3	7	6	6	1
\$1,000..		808	728	(D)	(D)	(D)	197	(D)	(D)
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	23	1	—	4	2	9	7
\$1,000..		900	859	(D)	—	56	(D)	749	42
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>									
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	12 903	52	492	1 717	2 634	2 898	5 110
acres..		3 639 850	2 759 273	11 972	110 110	460 499	546 858	839 672	790 162
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	10 656	42	437	1 503	2 325	2 403	3 946
acres..		2 435 702	2 020 332	8 796	88 656	363 306	423 687	635 959	499 928
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	7 018	20	252	925	1 446	1 538	2 837
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	1 212	12	43	138	267	285	467
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	852	3	46	127	206	202	268
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	840	3	69	166	205	194	203
500 to 999 acres .....		458	399	2	17	80	118	99	83
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	177	1	3	30	44	49	50
2,000 acres or more .....		174	158	1	7	37	39	36	38
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	4 619	14	139	437	713	1 066	2 250
acres..		895 684	519 395	2 678	18 137	66 999	89 515	119 117	222 949
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	366	4	9	54	68	98	133
acres..		39 152	21 214	(D)	(D)	5 105	3 901	5 556	6 290
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	215	—	12	42	45	38	78
acres..		14 457	10 622	—	939	1 810	2 427	3 362	2 084
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	160	—	4	22	19	51	64
acres..		47 061	45 276	—	19	6 262	697	27 924	10 374
Idle .....	farms..	2 816	1 338	7	53	188	296	307	487
acres..		207 794	142 434	(D)	(D)	17 017	26 631	47 754	48 537
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	4 090	14	103	414	653	991	1 915
acres..		2 132 308	1 372 223	835	26 845	149 905	307 045	384 908	502 685
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	1 974	6	47	163	307	473	978
acres..		1 091 166	749 205	496	12 700	48 471	217 418	190 887	279 233
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	2 745	10	69	299	441	677	1 249
acres..		1 041 142	623 018	339	14 145	101 434	89 627	194 021	223 452

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>								
All farms .....	number..	19 085	104	906	3 607	5 214	4 698	4 556
\$1,000..		171 510	233	5 896	28 144	30 628	49 826	57 248
Average per farm .....	dollars..	8 987	-2 241	6 508	7 803	5 874	10 606	12 565
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	7 217	61	364	1 355	1 885	1 680	1 872
Average net gain .....	dollars..	35 454	3 218	22 796	35 457	28 256	42 959	39 477
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....		1 500	22	82	283	406	340	367
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		3 480	37	187	630	923	785	918
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		1 596	2	66	326	411	401	390
\$50,000 or more .....		641	—	29	116	145	154	197
Farms with net losses .....	number..	11 868	43	542	2 252	3 329	3 018	2 684
Average net loss .....	dollars..	7 108	9 985	4 431	8 837	6 799	7 404	6 204
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 117	—	106	261	551	611	588
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		8 042	35	372	1 609	2 235	1 977	1 814
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		1 599	7	64	361	510	403	254
\$50,000 or more .....		110	1	—	21	33	27	28
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>								
Government payments .....	farms..	1 443	7	43	217	420	335	421
\$1,000..		4 486	8	77	517	1 085	1 505	1 295
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	2 364	25	98	510	683	476	572
\$1,000..		13 393	70	180	2 365	3 174	4 132	3 472
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	557	6	14	128	165	123	121
\$1,000..		3 996	22	9	551	1 279	1 084	1 051
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	828	6	44	131	254	138	255
\$1,000..		4 800	3	116	835	878	1 933	1 036
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	421	7	9	106	124	72	103
\$1,000..		3 132	18	22	674	633	852	933
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	761	12	31	172	238	158	150
\$1,000..		1 464	27	34	304	384	263	453
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>								
Total .....	farms..	24	—	2	4	11	4	3
\$1,000..		135	—	(D)	31	86	(D)	(Z)
Corn .....	farms..	13	—	1	1	5	3	3
\$1,000..		8	—	(D)	(D)	6	(D)	(Z)
Wheat .....	farms..	4	—	1	1	2	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	2	—	1	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	6	—	1	—	4	1	—
\$1,000..		79	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	5	—	—	3	2	—	—
\$1,000..		42	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	farms..	14 238	58	624	2 625	3 901	3 604	3 426
acres..		880 577	2 685	31 829	179 763	200 547	237 098	228 655
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	10 361	42	412	1 892	2 799	2 574	2 642
acres..		415 370	1 302	12 587	85 437	86 471	101 886	127 687
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres .....		8 899	36	358	1 675	2 423	2 181	2 226
50 to 99 acres .....		778	2	25	104	199	231	217
100 to 199 acres .....		371	2	19	56	109	88	97
200 to 499 acres .....		212	2	8	37	50	52	63
500 to 999 acres .....		59	—	1	10	13	14	21
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		26	—	1	6	5	2	12
2,000 acres or more .....		16	—	—	4	—	6	6
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	5 770	32	300	1 115	1 677	1 542	1 104
acres..		376 289	1 300	17 152	79 411	98 503	104 472	75 451
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	411	2	15	66	120	97	111
acres..		17 938	(D)	(D)	1 443	4 110	(D)	5 994
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	163	3	12	32	40	49	27
acres..		3 835	54	289	573	785	1 533	601
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	80	—	3	13	25	23	16
acres..		1 785	—	(D)	266	413	(D)	826
Idle .....	farms..	1 478	2	61	265	388	338	424
acres..		65 360	(D)	(D)	12 633	10 265	22 854	18 096
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 795	19	179	756	1 446	1 256	1 139
acres..		760 085	1 020	32 558	127 151	236 777	188 500	174 079
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	2 184	11	77	356	648	606	486
acres..		341 961	469	18 722	74 176	98 247	76 641	73 706
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	3 284	9	130	511	993	845	796
acres..		418 124	551	13 836	52 975	138 530	111 859	100 373

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	8 495 4 069 927	3 878 3 211 745	13 9 155	144 62 784	485 345 565	769 858 646	872 941 401	1 595 994 194
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	18 528 612 132	8 884 416 211	28 522	321 7 358	1 173 62 283	1 776 87 363	2 054 131 044	3 532 127 641
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	12 673 1 862 404	6 819 1 612 092	24 5 492	335 65 240	1 118 285 923	1 708 322 312	1 496 555 684	2 138 377 441
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	12 202 1 729 449	6 606 1 496 396	23 (D)	322 (D)	1 086 257 303	1 664 302 987	1 441 505 030	2 070 361 096
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	745 132 955	360 115 696	2 (D)	18 (D)	56 28 620	85 19 325	88 50 654	111 16 345
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	1 624 125 878	684 56 657	— —	17 646	59 6 346	89 6 028	150 13 422	369 30 215
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 787 23 047 695	15 702 16 278 435	72 36 710	664 522 992	2 093 2 656 415	3 065 3 367 680	3 461 4 837 490	6 347 4 857 147
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	1 036 711	509 861	787 638	1 269 190	1 098 754	1 397 715	765 267
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	2 138	1 750	2 731	2 628	1 913	2 148	2 041
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3 876	1 258	15	84	126	221	203	609
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	3 559	1 288	7	95	149	217	279	541
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 014	1 109	7	34	149	208	232	479
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	4 566	1 715	—	76	243	282	379	735
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 577	1 518	10	60	136	274	408	630
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	9 404	4 500	20	180	614	852	949	1 885
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3 411	1 923	3	47	312	380	452	729
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	1 611	1 100	7	36	160	305	280	312
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 138	769	2	38	114	187	165	263
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	522	1	14	90	139	114	164
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 786 1 421 654	15 701 959 995	72 4 909	664 43 156	2 092 209 340	3 065 233 082	3 461 224 441	6 347 245 066
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 239	2 129	18	60	216	328	404	1 103
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7 040	2 683	—	95	240	422	530	1 396
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7 275	3 065	7	92	330	542	671	1 423
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	8 371	3 898	9	206	581	737	968	1 397
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 203	1 949	29	129	331	452	450	558
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 683	1 165	6	54	221	335	252	297
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	685	553	—	17	115	183	119	119
\$500,000 or more .....	290	259	3	11	58	66	67	54
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	27 590 54 030	13 553 32 736	62 150	561 1 350	1 814 5 736	2 819 7 780	3 029 7 573	5 268 10 147
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	28 305 51 110	12 937 28 184	58 113	463 915	1 649 4 633	2 462 5 981	3 007 6 589	5 298 9 953
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 078	7 333	34	269	882	1 495	1 682	2 971
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	20 900	10 410	41	339	1 472	2 417	2 318	3 823
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 943	8 209	38	271	1 125	1 524	1 930	3 321
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	15 680	7 559	26	245	1 048	1 380	1 764	3 096
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	25 210	14 362	41	424	2 506	2 812	3 316	5 263
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	3 067	1 828	13	62	303	421	458	571
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	5 000	3 412	31	152	655	752	955	867
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	6 241	3 068	18	114	331	565	654	1 386
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	2 056	1 194	1	34	169	194	273	523
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	2 612	1 544	(D)	(D)	247	250	356	652
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 087 2 939 310	11 466 2 390 952	48 7 301	419 83 138	1 588 427 444	2 316 508 714	2 617 746 051	4 478 618 304
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 714 1 596 677	6 147 1 364 897	32	293	1 065	1 459	1 357	1 941
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 128 285 104	1 322 230 057	9	73	239	345	300	366
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	7 246 1 033 768	4 299 872 736	29	196	787	1 090	65 941	47 012
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 491 1 494 432	5 580 1 249 723	33	278	986	1 364	1 180	1 739
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 041 116 751	578 90 479	10 698	56 6 289	142 26 205	293 035	402 398	254 765

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>								
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured.....	farms..	4 617	14	232	878	1 444	1 202	847
	acres..	858 182	3 627	26 155	157 238	272 943	213 290	184 929
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ....	farms..	9 644	35	417	1 777	2 815	2 520	2 080
	acres..	195 921	836	5 436	28 254	66 535	47 301	47 559
Irrigated land .....	farms..	5 854	22	236	1 151	1 556	1 431	1 458
	acres..	250 312	193	5 334	50 800	47 525	59 769	86 691
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms..	5 596	22	223	1 091	1 470	1 375	1 415
	acres..	233 053	186	5 150	48 548	39 515	57 555	82 099
Pasture and other land irrigated .....	farms..	385	3	23	93	119	84	63
	acres..	17 259	7	184	2 252	8 010	2 214	4 592
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs .....	farms..	940	—	22	134	257	217	310
	acres..	69 221	—	1 107	11 122	17 630	17 450	21 912
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of land and buildings .....	farms..	19 085	104	906	3 607	5 214	4 698	4 556
	\$1,000..	6 769 260	20 656	185 492	1 267 833	1 599 258	1 775 653	1 920 369
Average per farm .....	dollars..	354 690	198 619	204 737	351 492	306 724	377 959	421 503
Average per acre .....	dollars..	2 536	2 604	2 082	2 688	2 134	2 590	2 885
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$39,999 .....		2 618	15	155	530	832	520	566
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....		2 271	15	182	456	477	539	602
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....		1 905	10	85	409	580	434	387
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....		2 851	16	104	550	798	706	677
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....		2 059	—	114	482	535	501	427
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....		4 904	41	201	807	1 311	1 308	1 236
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		1 488	6	52	222	419	420	369
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....		511	—	7	51	169	129	155
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		369	1	3	82	69	109	105
\$5,000,000 or more .....		109	—	3	18	24	32	32
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment .....	farms..	19 085	104	906	3 607	5 214	4 698	4 556
	\$1,000..	461 659	1 958	16 798	90 115	118 094	126 631	108 064
Farms by value group:								
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 110	24	225	723	1 198	977	963
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		4 357	25	247	909	1 117	1 089	970
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		4 210	18	168	847	1 090	1 023	1 064
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 473	26	171	844	1 250	1 099	1 083
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		1 254	11	58	155	349	359	322
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....		518	—	36	85	179	115	103
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....		132	—	1	32	29	28	42
\$500,000 or more .....		31	—	—	12	2	8	9
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>								
Motortrucks, including pickups .....	farms..	14 037	66	688	2 753	3 941	3 451	3 138
	number..	21 294	76	1 005	4 278	5 635	5 327	4 973
Wheel tractors .....	farms..	15 368	87	629	2 818	4 228	3 940	3 666
	number..	22 926	105	921	4 059	6 054	5 745	6 042
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	8 745	39	360	1 466	2 376	2 399	2 105
	number..	10 490	45	464	1 707	2 776	2 849	2 649
40 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	8 734	49	344	1 666	2 466	2 127	2 082
	number..	12 436	60	457	2 352	3 278	2 896	3 393
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) .....	farms..	8 121	35	305	1 552	2 288	2 005	1 936
	number..	10 848	46	377	2 069	2 896	2 530	2 930
100 horsepower (PTO) or more .....	farms..	1 239	14	68	229	339	297	292
	number..	1 588	14	80	283	382	366	463
Grain and bean combines .....	farms..	234	10	23	32	80	67	22
	number..	268	10	30	39	84	82	23
Cotton pickers and strippers .....	farms..	33	—	1	3	14	6	9
	number..	43	—	(D)	(D)	18	10	10
Mower conditioners .....	farms..	2 757	27	94	447	791	859	539
	number..	3 173	34	109	540	906	1 001	583
Pickup balers .....	farms..	862	15	20	163	303	250	111
	number..	1 068	15	28	193	388	306	138
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>								
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	11 621	71	490	2 023	3 072	2 975	2 990
	acres on which used..	548 358	2 584	14 702	100 147	111 974	148 309	170 642
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—								
Insects on hay and other crops .....	farms..	4 567	28	211	900	1 052	1 206	1 170
	acres on which used..	231 780	833	4 865	45 606	42 765	58 352	79 359
Nematodes in crops .....	farms..	806	9	34	131	182	241	209
	acres on which used..	55 047	26	2 327	6 817	9 486	12 850	23 541
Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms..	2 947	12	114	532	731	719	839
	acres on which used..	161 032	40	2 883	25 068	30 599	35 587	66 855
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	farms..	4 911	39	245	963	1 309	1 220	1 135
	acres on which used..	244 709	1 391	7 224	52 993	47 695	60 931	74 475
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate .....	farms..	463	6	22	64	111	128	132
	acres on which used..	26 272	54	532	9 075	6 608	4 894	5 109

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		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>								
All operators .....	34 799	15 782	62	615	2 110	3 207	3 514	6 274
Full owners .....	26 962	11 728	28	320	1 337	2 208	2 625	5 210
Part owners .....	5 492	2 878	9	138	487	672	684	888
Tenants .....	2 345	1 176	25	157	286	327	205	176
White .....	33 481	15 175	57	590	2 010	3 074	3 379	6 065
Full owners .....	26 043	11 337	27	311	1 278	2 123	2 534	5 064
Part owners .....	5 230	2 741	9	134	470	639	656	833
Tenants .....	2 208	1 097	21	145	262	312	189	168
Black and other races .....	1 318	607	5	25	100	133	135	209
Full owners .....	919	391	1	9	59	85	91	146
Part owners .....	262	137	—	4	17	33	28	55
Tenants .....	137	79	4	12	24	15	16	8
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>								
Land owned..... farms..	32 502	14 629	39	459	1 828	2 890	3 312	6 101
acres..	8 310 743	6 237 399	20	486	116 291	808 719	1 253 156	2 004 473
Owned land in farms..... farms..	32 454	14 606	37	458	1 824	2 880	3 309	6 098
acres..	7 648 772	5 884 318	14	122	114 198	729 322	1 214 361	1 915 636
Land rented or leased from others..... farms..	7 895	4 088	34	297	780	1 005	894	1 078
acres..	2 851 242	1 908 129	(D)	(D)	293 717	597 793	410 061	504 385
landlords..	15 172	8 935	70	674	1 710	2 419	1 947	2 115
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	7 837	4 054	34	295	773	999	889	1 064
acres..	2 805 445	1 875 134	8	362	92 699	288 930	585 551	400 346
Land rented or leased to others..... farms..	2 406	1 093	5	25	113	215	215	520
acres..	707 768	386 076	(D)	(D)	84 184	51 037	147 310	94 176
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated .....	21 333	9 805	30	328	1 170	1 820	2 247	4 210
Not on farm operated .....	10 106	4 086	29	214	678	1 013	842	1 310
Not reported .....	3 360	1 891	3	73	262	374	425	754
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming .....	15 782	15 782	62	615	2 110	3 207	3 514	6 274
Other .....	19 017	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by days worked off farm:								
None .....	14 054	10 287	32	318	1 216	1 873	2 313	4 535
Any .....	18 337	3 087	26	226	619	907	681	628
1 to 99 days .....	2 407	1 285	16	87	221	340	281	340
100 to 199 days .....	2 778	742	4	42	143	225	185	143
200 days or more .....	13 152	1 060	6	97	255	342	215	145
Not reported .....	2 408	2 408	4	71	275	427	520	1 111
Operators by years on present farm:								
2 years or less .....	1 924	696	19	114	176	168	125	94
3 or 4 years .....	2 802	944	11	102	227	226	231	147
5 to 9 years .....	5 431	2 039	7	182	463	547	448	392
10 years or more .....	18 327	9 078	—	93	905	1 710	2 053	4 317
Average years on present farm .....	17.3	20.1	3.0	6.0	10.6	14.4	18.7	28.9
Not reported .....	6 315	3 025	25	124	339	556	657	1 324
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years .....	150	62	62	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	1 493	615	—	615	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years .....	5 664	2 110	—	—	2 110	—	—	—
45 to 49 years .....	4 111	1 582	—	—	—	1 582	—	—
50 to 54 years .....	4 518	1 625	—	—	—	1 625	—	—
55 to 59 years .....	4 356	1 685	—	—	—	—	1 685	—
60 to 64 years .....	3 937	1 829	—	—	—	—	1 829	—
65 to 69 years .....	3 802	2 118	—	—	—	—	—	2 118
70 years and over .....	6 768	4 156	—	—	—	—	—	4 156
Average age .....	56.5	59.1	21.9	30.8	40.0	49.4	59.6	73.2
Operators by sex:								
Male .....	29 415	13 293	55	541	1 673	2 703	3 041	5 280
Female .....	5 384	2 489	7	74	437	504	473	994
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1 060	550	2	35	109	140	123	141
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>								
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	27 173	11 481	45	403	1 291	2 059	2 572	5 111
acres..	4 473 744	2 895 583	5 368	74 639	282 571	687 693	655 684	1 189 628
Partnership .....	—	2 716	1 258	51	176	299	286	434
acres..	1 614 276	1 222 091	7 234	14 774	215 526	401 067	189 436	394 054
Corporation:								
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	2 539	5	135	517	716	552
acres..	3 021 393	2 475 632	9 882	104 505	339 372	630 035	722 382	669 456
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	157	118	—	5	16	20	49
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	3 724	2 421	5	130	501	696	524
Other than family held .....	farms..	635	383	—	23	102	116	82
acres..	1 065 642	966 322	—	(D)	142 959	(D)	638 322	117 289
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	67	48	—	1	16	8	9
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	568	335	—	22	86	108	73
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	394	121	—	3	24	17	22
acres..	279 162	199 824	—	(D)	37 824	(D)	91 201	44 255

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Item		Other occupations					
		Total	Age of operator (years)				
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	19 017	88	878	3 554	5 422	4 779	4 296
Full owners .....	15 234	56	572	2 589	4 232	3 894	3 891
Part owners .....	2 614	6	170	605	860	677	296
Tenants .....	1 169	26	136	360	330	208	109
White .....	18 306	84	861	3 417	5 209	4 586	4 149
Full owners .....	14 706	53	559	2 500	4 080	3 745	3 769
Part owners .....	2 489	6	167	577	818	642	279
Tenants .....	1 111	25	135	340	311	199	101
Black and other races .....	711	4	17	137	213	193	147
Full owners .....	528	3	13	89	152	149	122
Part owners .....	125	—	3	28	42	35	17
Tenants .....	58	1	1	20	19	9	8
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	17 873	62	746	3 200	5 097	4 578	4 190
acres..	2 073 344	5 073	58 333	269 627	464 345	635 073	640 893
Owned land in farms..... farms..	17 848	62	742	3 194	5 092	4 571	4 187
acres..	1 764 454	5 044	55 780	239 966	429 723	505 088	528 853
Land rented or leased from others..... farms..	3 807	32	309	970	1 195	890	411
acres..	943 113	3 181	40 544	254 444	353 520	184 226	107 198
landlords..	6 237	56	484	1 611	2 029	1 442	615
Rented or leased land in farms..... farms..	3 783	32	306	965	1 190	885	405
acres..	930 311	3 124	40 198	252 440	347 079	181 101	106 369
Land rented or leased to others..... farms..	1 313	7	43	192	336	333	402
acres..	321 692	86	2 899	31 665	41 063	133 110	112 869
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	11 528	45	540	2 279	3 579	2 903	2 182
Not on farm operated .....	6 020	33	284	1 041	1 505	1 473	1 684
Not reported .....	1 469	10	54	234	338	403	430
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other .....	19 017	88	878	3 554	5 422	4 779	4 296
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	3 767	10	70	299	454	723	2 211
Any .....	15 250	78	808	3 255	4 968	4 056	2 085
1 to 99 days .....	1 122	8	38	170	242	322	342
100 to 199 days .....	2 036	17	88	370	643	535	383
200 days or more .....	12 092	53	682	2 715	4 083	3 199	1 360
Not reported .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	1 228	11	169	393	354	208	93
3 or 4 years .....	1 858	17	215	572	608	327	119
5 to 9 years .....	3 392	10	267	915	1 083	770	347
10 years or more .....	9 249	—	93	1 120	2 603	2 676	2 757
Average years on present farm .....	14.9	3.7	5.4	8.6	12.5	16.4	24.5
Not reported .....	3 290	50	134	554	774	798	980
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	88	88	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 34 years .....	878	—	878	—	—	—	—
35 to 44 years .....	3 554	—	—	3 554	—	—	—
45 to 49 years .....	2 529	—	—	—	2 529	—	—
50 to 54 years .....	2 893	—	—	—	2 893	—	—
55 to 59 years .....	2 671	—	—	—	—	2 671	—
60 to 64 years .....	2 108	—	—	—	—	2 108	—
65 to 69 years .....	1 684	—	—	—	—	—	1 684
70 years and over .....	2 612	—	—	—	—	—	2 612
Average age .....	54.5	21.5	31.1	40.2	49.7	59.1	72.6
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	16 122	62	758	3 050	4 683	4 181	3 388
Female .....	2 895	26	120	504	739	598	908
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	510	7	39	117	153	128	66
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	15 692	77	725	2 892	4 550	4 014	3 434
acres..	1 578 161	6 842	58 079	274 882	469 140	433 175	336 043
Partnership .....	1 458	9	68	245	392	356	388
acres..	392 185	(D)	(D)	84 753	73 615	102 019	118 113
Corporation:							
Family held .....	1 342	—	64	316	337	291	334
acres..	545 761	—	22 318	81 188	188 951	122 238	131 066
More than 10 stockholders .....	39	—	—	6	9	9	15
10 or less stockholders .....	1 303	—	64	310	328	282	319
Other than family held .....	252	1	13	64	67	64	43
acres..	99 320	(D)	(D)	47 472	17 957	10 247	23 284
More than 10 stockholders .....	19	—	—	5	6	5	3
10 or less stockholders .....	233	1	13	59	61	59	40
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	273	1	8	37	76	54
acres..	79 338	(D)	(D)	4 111	27 139	18 510	26 716

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>								
Farm-related injuries:								
Operator and family members .....	farms..	199	112	1	9	20	27	18
number..		238	138	(D)	(D)	26	30	48
Hired workers .....	farms..	588	485	2	27	90	163	99
number..		1 531	1 334	(D)	(D)	250	462	254
Farm-related deaths:								
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	1	—	—
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	6	3	—	—	1	—	2
number..		6	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>								
1 to 9 acres .....		7 394	2 766	11	130	469	692	574
10 to 49 acres .....		12 750	4 967	13	186	711	935	1 117
50 to 69 acres .....		2 206	994	12	30	91	190	205
70 to 99 acres .....		2 388	1 082	3	39	98	213	209
100 to 139 acres .....		1 984	1 001	5	27	96	175	223
140 to 179 acres .....		1 354	713	1	20	70	115	165
180 to 219 acres .....		949	481	1	24	50	80	118
220 to 259 acres .....		671	357	—	14	43	70	69
260 to 499 acres .....		2 067	1 291	9	64	160	253	310
500 to 999 acres .....		1 390	911	3	39	118	194	224
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		802	551	1	20	92	141	132
2,000 acres or more .....		844	668	3	22	112	149	168
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>								
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		1 118	348	3	13	27	47	72
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		1 250	848	13	79	146	215	191
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		8 245	3 512	4	98	393	612	680
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		4 902	2 771	8	132	573	863	655
Other crop farming (1119) .....		2 137	1 191	7	59	183	245	308
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		137	103	1	5	17	29	22
Cotton farming (11192) .....		202	160	5	16	37	33	40
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 798	928	1	38	129	183	239
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		12 040	4 655	21	98	335	596	974
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		309	127	—	3	5	15	30
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		296	247	—	17	40	62	79
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		468	163	—	16	17	31	47
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		560	357	1	24	71	87	115
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		272	86	—	1	11	14	25
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		3 202	1 477	5	75	309	420	338
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>								
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	number..	15 849	6 901	26	208	650	1 085	1 564
		1 808 900	1 372 135	3 915	34 784	186 180	328 119	373 571
Farms with—								
1 to 9 .....		3 578	1 028	5	40	126	147	214
10 to 49 .....		7 493	2 925	13	60	206	410	632
50 to 99 .....		2 060	1 077	—	21	84	155	253
100 to 199 .....		1 190	713	3	37	73	123	174
200 to 499 .....		891	629	3	34	75	127	155
500 or more .....		637	529	2	16	86	123	136
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	13 930	6 220	20	175	563	964	1 421
	number..	1 162 686	886 684	2 100	22 287	121 449	201 741	247 948
Beef cows .....	farms..	13 600	5 988	20	162	520	907	1 352
	number..	1 003 072	739 986	2 100	16 205	95 198	155 035	202 755
Farms with—								
1 to 9 .....		4 552	1 405	7	38	130	197	273
10 to 49 .....		5 878	2 559	6	56	175	335	591
50 to 99 .....		1 448	800	—	26	61	132	202
100 to 199 .....		790	506	3	16	52	94	117
200 to 499 .....		599	437	3	21	55	81	105
500 or more .....		333	281	1	5	47	68	64
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	393	—	22	65	89	106
	number..	159 614	146 698	—	6 082	26 251	46 706	45 193
Farms with—								
1 to 4 .....		314	121	—	5	25	22	21
5 to 9 .....		57	26	—	—	1	3	6
10 to 49 .....		65	39	—	—	1	11	16
50 to 99 .....		31	25	—	2	7	4	7
100 to 199 .....		28	24	—	4	5	7	5
200 to 499 .....		73	68	—	7	16	15	23
500 or more .....		98	90	—	4	10	27	33
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	number..	11 905	5 367	18	157	514	854	1 190
		370 425	281 356	1 011	7 097	36 984	72 817	76 882
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	5 997	23	178	547	943	1 364
	number..	275 789	204 095	804	5 400	27 747	53 561	48 741

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	87	—	6	17	29	20
number..		100	—	8	19	34	22
Hired workers .....	farms..	103	1	3	28	25	26
number..		197	(D)	(D)	61	39	61
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	3	—	—	—	1	1
number..		(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		4 628	28	243	1 063	1 284	1 066
10 to 49 acres .....		7 783	26	372	1 450	2 232	1 961
50 to 69 acres .....		1 212	11	51	173	384	321
70 to 99 acres .....		1 306	6	51	198	357	370
100 to 139 acres .....		983	3	43	145	281	273
140 to 179 acres .....		641	6	25	112	175	171
180 to 219 acres .....		468	2	22	72	140	115
220 to 259 acres .....		314	2	6	48	105	74
260 to 499 acres .....		776	—	34	141	211	186
500 to 999 acres .....		479	3	18	68	145	132
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		251	—	7	46	65	69
2,000 acres or more .....		176	1	6	38	43	41
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		770	—	22	111	212	170
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		402	7	24	81	118	108
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		4 733	10	128	669	1 124	1 178
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		2 131	9	121	564	612	470
Other crop farming (1119) .....		946	7	45	180	280	254
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		34	—	2	8	6	10
Cotton farming (11192) .....		42	1	5	12	6	11
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		870	6	38	160	268	233
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		7 385	38	378	1 312	2 152	2 002
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		182	3	2	44	40	45
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		49	—	1	4	11	13
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		305	2	23	75	99	79
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		203	3	12	45	86	41
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		186	—	9	44	66	53
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		1 725	9	113	425	622	366
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	farms..	8 948	51	471	1 652	2 627	2 409
number..		436 765	1 823	19 201	75 390	107 462	132 745
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		2 550	12	152	533	770	646
10 to 49 .....		4 568	31	232	776	1 352	1 246
50 to 99 .....		983	3	54	182	268	295
100 to 199 .....		477	2	19	90	144	120
200 to 499 .....		262	3	11	49	74	67
500 or more .....		108	—	3	22	19	35
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	7 710	38	396	1 378	2 252	2 139
number..		276 002	(D)	(D)	45 827	66 194	85 821
Beef cows .....	farms..	7 612	38	391	1 360	2 223	2 108
number..		263 086	(D)	(D)	(D)	64 268	83 429
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		3 147	15	175	593	928	851
10 to 49 .....		3 319	17	173	548	982	954
50 to 99 .....		648	3	27	126	173	172
100 to 199 .....		284	3	11	53	93	67
200 to 499 .....		162	—	4	32	42	39
500 or more .....		52	—	1	8	5	25
Milk cows .....	farms..	273	—	19	54	88	68
number..		12 916	—	(D)	(D)	1 926	2 392
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....		193	—	18	47	62	47
5 to 9 .....		31	—	—	3	14	9
10 to 49 .....		26	—	—	2	6	7
50 to 99 .....		6	—	—	—	2	2
100 to 199 .....		4	—	—	—	1	—
200 to 499 .....		5	—	—	1	2	2
500 or more .....		8	—	1	1	1	1
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	farms..	6 538	39	355	1 210	1 945	1 772
number..		89 069	424	4 065	16 225	23 225	26 496
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	7 577	38	412	1 396	2 229	2 063
number..		71 694	(D)	(D)	13 338	18 043	20 428

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			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>									
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	14 600	6 581	22	183	590	1 019	1 501	3 266
number..		869 219	664 247	2 287	17 143	87 495	139 385	185 004	232 933
\$1,000..		301 660	234 316	811	5 349	29 051	48 747	66 391	83 967
Calves .....	farms..	12 649	5 733	21	153	499	889	1 292	2 879
number..		572 171	432 265	(D)	(D)	58 410	91 540	119 286	150 288
\$1,000..		150 127	113 598	(D)	(D)	14 327	24 206	32 321	39 563
Cattle .....	farms..	7 390	3 502	8	105	324	541	816	1 708
number..		297 048	231 982	(D)	(D)	29 085	47 845	65 718	82 645
\$1,000..		151 533	120 718	(D)	(D)	14 724	24 541	34 070	44 404
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	578	254	1	5	24	37	61	126
number..		5 922	2 911	(D)	(D)	449	286	712	1 417
\$1,000..		3 955	1 877	(D)	(D)	168	213	454	1 001
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	1 431	569	4	36	80	112	143	194
number..		50 309	36 028	17	1 961	6 925	6 972	12 695	7 458
Farms with—									
1 to 24 .....		1 118	389	4	22	64	75	91	133
25 to 49 .....		132	62	—	2	4	7	16	33
50 to 99 .....		80	41	—	6	2	9	11	13
100 to 199 .....		53	37	—	4	2	12	14	5
200 to 499 .....		33	28	—	2	5	7	6	8
500 or more .....		15	12	—	—	3	2	5	2
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	802	360	4	27	48	70	87	124
number..		9 062	6 242	11	302	901	1 761	2 221	1 046
Other .....	farms..	1 303	524	3	34	74	98	132	183
number..		41 247	29 786	6	1 659	6 024	5 211	10 474	6 412
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	971	427	2	27	54	80	120	144
number..		96 512	74 397	(D)	(D)	9 943	16 800	31 970	11 637
\$1,000..		7 997	6 045	(D)	(D)	1 050	1 098	2 346	1 211
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	189	84	2	6	10	19	24	23
number..		36 635	29 231	(D)	(D)	173	9 530	17 655	821
\$1,000..		1 394	1 091	(D)	(D)	6	320	705	32
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	857	381	5	28	52	75	93	128
number..		12 427	9 099	16	525	1 300	2 727	3 362	1 169
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	766	348	4	27	46	73	86	112
number..		6 389	4 628	(D)	(D)	654	1 346	1 740	608
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	651	300	2	23	40	55	75	105
number..		6 038	4 471	(D)	(D)	646	1 381	1 622	561
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	336	149	1	3	27	24	43	51
number..		5 722	3 105	(D)	(D)	435	361	964	1 331
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	209	91	1	1	18	12	24	35
number..		2 512	1 058	(D)	(D)	141	(D)	253	554
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	187	93	—	—	19	15	32	27
number..		4 071	2 349	—	—	146	410	636	1 157
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	121	55	—	—	7	10	17	21
number..		2 611	1 085	—	—	131	134	258	562
pounds of wool..		13 992	5 923	—	—	715	870	1 817	2 521
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	6 791	2 813	7	118	494	694	627	873
number..		54 878	28 806	59	1 160	5 263	8 491	6 462	7 371
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	1 720	783	1	37	182	210	180	173
number..		8 235	4 408	(D)	(D)	1 155	1 044	1 281	778
Goats inventory .....	farms..	1 287	484	3	19	90	81	119	172
number..		24 209	12 561	(D)	(D)	4 343	1 553	2 983	3 450
Goats sold .....	farms..	574	219	1	2	40	45	42	89
number..		13 122	7 752	(D)	(D)	3 868	853	1 399	1 626
<b>POULTRY</b>									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	1 203	493	3	23	89	101	118	159
number..		12 605 047	9 691 206	(D)	(D)	1 675 970	1 014 173	4 797 456	2 153 584
Farms with—									
1 to 399 .....		1 104	416	3	19	76	80	94	144
400 to 3,199 .....		4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
3,200 to 9,999 .....		10	7	—	2	2	—	1	2
10,000 to 19,999 .....		22	19	—	1	3	10	5	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		33	24	—	1	4	2	10	7
50,000 to 99,999 .....		14	12	—	—	1	7	1	3
100,000 or more .....		16	14	—	—	3	2	7	2
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	1 157	470	3	21	85	95	114	152
number..		11 608 529	9 032 572	50	49 836	1 675 818	818 656	4 496 973	1 991 239
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	237	105	2	4	15	26	28	30
number..		996 518	658 634	(D)	(D)	152	195 517	300 483	162 345
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	267	140	—	6	31	32	39	32
number..		8 180 675	6 983 709	—	44 842	1 509 452	1 296 249	2 613 991	1 519 175
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	321	226	1	14	43	56	82	30
number..		105 967 210	83 026 610	(D)	(D)	16 772 777	20 176 975	30 825 328	8 564 933
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999 .....		45	16	—	1	4	2	5	4
2,000 to 59,999 .....		10	6	—	—	—	2	1	3
60,000 to 99,999 .....		22	19	—	2	3	4	5	5
100,000 or more .....		244	185	1	11	36	48	71	18
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	165	67	1	4	10	9	26	17
number..		732	345	(D)	(D)	38	28	129	133
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	52	23	—	1	4	6	7	5
number..		783	578	—	(D)	39	(D)	(D)	(D)

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**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item		Other occupations					
		Total	Age of operator (years)				
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	8 019	48	407	1 430	2 341	2 184
number..		204 972	713	7 756	38 722	49 121	58 271
\$1,000..		67 344	215	2 274	12 691	15 375	19 006
Calves .....	farms..	6 916	37	356	1 253	2 001	1 897
number..		139 906	618	6 478	24 397	35 282	41 410
\$1,000..		36 529	165	1 679	6 179	8 964	10 966
Cattle .....	farms..	3 888	24	176	706	1 152	1 031
number..		65 066	95	1 278	14 325	13 839	16 861
\$1,000..		30 815	50	595	6 512	6 411	8 040
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	324	3	10	74	86	78
number..		3 011	5	22	791	680	749
\$1,000..		2 079	5	13	546	459	542
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	862	2	73	210	312	188
number..		14 281	(D)	1 840	3 236	4 254	3 858
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		729	2	61	185	266	151
25 to 49 .....		70	—	5	13	28	16
50 to 99 .....		39	—	3	4	13	16
100 to 199 .....		16	—	3	4	4	3
200 to 499 .....		5	—	—	4	—	2
500 or more .....		3	—	1	—	1	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	442	—	37	111	146	108
number..		2 820	—	356	673	906	722
Other .....	farms..	779	2	66	194	282	163
number..		11 461	(D)	1 484	2 563	3 348	3 136
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	544	2	47	133	187	120
number..		22 115	(D)	4 128	4 540	6 512	5 706
\$1,000..		1 952	(D)	(D)	443	590	531
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	105	—	9	23	44	23
number..		7 404	—	(D)	879	1 640	1 613
\$1,000..		302	—	(D)	29	54	60
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	476	—	39	120	159	116
number..		3 328	—	549	877	869	871
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	418	—	33	99	144	105
number..		1 761	—	293	440	461	479
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	351	—	27	92	121	80
number..		1 567	—	256	437	408	392
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	187	2	9	44	64	42
number..		2 617	(D)	(D)	290	1 360	691
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	118	—	6	26	40	31
number..		1 454	—	14	132	779	404
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	94	—	3	16	35	26
number..		1 722	—	(D)	(D)	711	697
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	66	—	3	14	23	17
number..		1 526	—	3	117	965	346
pounds of wool..		8 069	—	11	939	5 021	1 528
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	3 978	17	258	939	1 376	893
number..		26 072	96	1 453	5 698	8 980	5 295
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	937	4	70	262	340	182
number..		3 827	9	150	894	1 065	476
Goats inventory .....	farms..	803	6	44	193	265	215
number..		11 648	18	564	2 542	3 699	3 776
Goats sold .....	farms..	355	2	18	86	123	97
number..		5 370	(D)	(D)	1 306	1 703	1 788
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	710	4	44	192	225	166
number..		2 913 841	(D)	(D)	132 042	(D)	200 389
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		688	4	43	187	218	162
400 to 3,199 .....		3	—	1	—	2	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		3	—	—	—	1	2
10,000 to 19,999 .....		3	—	—	—	2	1
20,000 to 49,999 .....		9	—	—	4	2	1
50,000 to 99,999 .....		2	—	1	—	1	—
100,000 or more .....		2	—	—	—	1	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	687	4	44	185	219	160
number..		2 575 957	100	(D)	131 264	61 864	159 317
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	132	2	12	43	38	28
number..		337 884	(D)	82	778	(D)	41 072
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	127	2	9	40	43	22
number..		1 196 966	(D)	(D)	275 873	158 511	602 505
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	95	5	9	22	34	18
number..		22 940 600	845 010	1 764 048	6 202 412	7 299 869	4 936 119
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		29	2	5	6	10	4
2,000 to 59,999 .....		4	—	—	1	1	2
60,000 to 99,999 .....		3	—	—	1	1	1
100,000 or more .....		59	3	4	14	22	11
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	98	—	4	30	42	19
number..		387	—	4	143	181	51
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	29	—	1	7	17	3
number..		205	—	(D)	19	136	(D)

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**Table 48. Summary by Age and Principal Occupation of Operator: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming								
		Total	Age of operator (years)							
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over		
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>										
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	742	5	29	112	138	194	264	
acres..	69 623	52 304	422	1 852	9 855	13 435	15 449	11 291		
Irrigated .....	farms..	5 440	742	38 545	179 109	828 664	1 078 525	1 274 189	851 710	
acres..	167	136	1	8	26	30	40	31		
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		638	284	1	9	23	37	67	147	
25 to 99 acres .....		404	271	2	11	50	52	74	82	
100 to 249 acres .....		179	152	2	9	30	40	43	28	
250 to 499 acres .....		36	26	—	—	8	6	6	6	
500 acres or more .....		11	9	—	—	1	3	4	1	
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	150	1	8	25	39	44	33	
acres..	6 881	6 134	(D)	(D)	1 121	1 805	2 160	837		
Irrigated .....	pounds..	16 191	980	14 812	444	2 677	344	4 342 490	5 252 527	
farms..	115	99	1	5	17	26	35	15		
acres..	5 559	4 982	(D)	(D)	922	1 436	1 913	535		
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	4	—	—	—	1	—	3	
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	22	—	2	4	1	6	9	
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	24	—	3	3	7	5	6	
25.0 acres or more .....		102	95	1	3	18	30	32	11	
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	288	7	27	47	73	78	56	
acres..	41 021	34 725	330	2 291	6 982	10 389	9 564	5 169		
Irrigated .....	bushels..	1 025	521	873 564	7 663	39 733	180 912	278 894	233 156	
farms..	30	25	—	3	4	6	8	4		
acres..	2 317	2 138	—	46	430	455	810	397		
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		79	41	2	2	6	5	11	15	
25 to 99 acres .....		184	126	3	17	15	34	37	20	
100 to 249 acres .....		106	89	2	7	23	22	18	17	
250 to 499 acres .....		25	22	—	—	7	10	4	4	
500 acres or more .....		10	10	—	1	2	5	2	—	
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	105	1	9	22	25	28	20	
acres..	41 255	38 876	(D)	(D)	8 763	12 267	9 604	6 937		
Irrigated .....	cwt..	8 815	285	8 349	673	1 990	648	2 637	720	
farms..	116	94	1	7	22	23	24	17		
acres..	39 690	37 872	(D)	(D)	8 763	12 267	8 672	6 933		
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	16	—	1	1	4	5	5	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	5	—	2	1	—	2	—	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	9	—	4	3	—	—	2	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	20	—	—	7	5	6	2	
250.0 acres or more .....		58	55	1	2	10	16	15	11	
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	115	1	5	22	27	28	32	
acres..	421 421	412 050	(D)	(D)	52 906	38 531	211 567	88 601		
Irrigated .....	tons..	15 718	897	15 394	225	1 938	357	1 491	702	
farms..	100	85	1	5	14	24	22	19		
acres..	389 800	384 427	(D)	(D)	45 630	34 479	211 324	72 549		
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	564	6	41	95	106	148	168	
acres..	76 682	63 305	271	3 360	11 011	14 537	21 188	12 938		
Irrigated .....	pounds..	209 914	666	173 408	760	646 030	29 485	36 794	216	
farms..	115	100	—	9	16	23	26	26		
acres..	15 184	12 526	—	639	2 379	3 365	4 064	2 079		
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		254	148	3	5	24	19	32	65	
25 to 99 acres .....		285	231	2	24	34	33	64	74	
100 to 249 acres .....		144	125	1	10	26	41	30	17	
250 to 499 acres .....		39	36	—	2	7	7	12	8	
500 acres or more .....		28	24	—	—	4	6	10	4	
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms..	4 798	2 538	4	74	258	447	630	1 125	
acres..	265 985	185 805	663	6 808	33 148	38 304	46 230	60 652		
Irrigated .....	tons, dry..	697 410	509 157	(D)	(D)	84 930	119 391	133 373	154 213	
farms..	254	172	—	10	29	41	42	50		
acres..	19 727	16 804	—	487	3 511	5 639	2 695	4 472		
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	1 049	1	28	82	168	249	521	
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	997	2	23	92	171	255	454	
100 to 249 acres .....		480	339	—	17	50	70	83	119	
250 to 499 acres .....		127	108	—	4	26	27	31	20	
500 acres or more .....		54	45	1	2	8	11	12	11	
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	1 500	1 030	12	80	186	268	227	257	
acres..	250 562	228 617	(D)	(D)	42 526	66 223	47 821	52 270		
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	763	8	73	157	212	159	154	
acres..	221 516	202 580	(D)	(D)	40 422	57 136	38 772	47 220		
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	197	3	6	31	38	44	75	
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	262	6	21	44	52	64	75	
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	247	2	17	45	79	53	51	
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	136	—	15	29	45	26	21	
250.0 acres or more .....		201	188	1	21	37	54	40	35	

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Item		Other occupations						
		Total	Age of operator (years)					
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>								
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	526	6	28	107	153	130	102
acres..		17 319	55	977	3 647	4 989	4 489	3 162
bushels..		1 190 214	3 830	71 459	281 758	301 619	281 858	249 690
Irrigated .....	farms..	31	—	3	7	6	11	4
acres..		995	—	(D)	71	(D)	484	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		354	6	15	64	108	89	72
25 to 99 acres .....		133	—	8	35	35	34	21
100 to 249 acres .....		27	—	5	6	6	4	6
250 to 499 acres .....		10	—	—	2	3	2	3
500 acres or more .....		2	—	—	—	1	1	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	36	—	3	8	6	10	9
acres..		748	—	(D)	404	(D)	122	102
pounds..		1 379 936	—	(D)	662 354	(D)	258 736	226 731
Irrigated .....	farms..	16	—	1	5	2	6	2
acres..		577	—	(D)	384	(D)	100	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		2	—	—	1	—	—	1
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		4	—	—	—	3	—	1
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		4	—	1	—	—	1	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		3	—	—	—	—	1	2
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		8	—	1	3	1	2	1
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		8	—	—	1	2	5	—
25.0 acres or more .....		7	—	1	3	—	1	2
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	116	1	11	26	34	25	19
acres..		6 296	(D)	(D)	1 668	1 491	1 514	1 130
bushels..		151 957	(D)	(D)	40 951	36 912	34 247	29 757
Irrigated .....	farms..	5	—	—	—	5	—	—
acres..		179	—	—	—	179	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		38	—	2	8	14	8	6
25 to 99 acres .....		58	1	8	11	16	12	10
100 to 249 acres .....		17	—	1	7	4	4	1
250 to 499 acres .....		3	—	—	—	—	1	2
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	35	—	1	12	3	12	7
acres..		2 379	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	635
cwt..		465 612	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	148 738
Irrigated .....	farms..	22	—	—	6	2	7	7
acres..		1 818	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	635
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		21	—	1	11	1	8	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		7	—	—	—	—	2	5
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		2	—	—	—	—	1	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		2	—	—	1	1	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		3	—	—	—	1	1	1
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	37	—	1	2	12	8	14
acres..		9 371	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	7 276
tons..		324 672	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	255 781
Irrigated .....	farms..	15	—	—	1	4	3	7
acres..		5 373	—	—	(D)	(D)	367	3 978
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	186	4	10	38	60	53	21
acres..		13 377	(D)	(D)	1 881	3 311	7 190	441
pounds..		36 505 906	(D)	1 178 329	4 443 009	7 558 547	21 592 992	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	15	—	—	4	4	4	3
acres..		2 658	—	—	(D)	244	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		106	2	7	20	31	29	17
25 to 99 acres .....		54	1	2	13	19	16	3
100 to 249 acres .....		19	1	1	2	9	5	1
250 to 499 acres .....		3	—	—	3	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		4	—	—	—	1	3	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	2 260	10	97	415	715	601	422
acres..		80 180	608	3 881	13 325	23 319	20 998	18 049
tons, dry..		188 253	2 435	6 804	36 153	54 258	48 191	40 412
Irrigated .....	farms..	82	—	3	23	17	24	15
acres..		2 923	—	13	974	512	720	704
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 24 acres .....		1 370	5	57	259	446	354	249
25 to 99 acres .....		721	3	34	125	216	212	131
100 to 249 acres .....		141	2	2	26	48	29	34
250 to 499 acres .....		19	—	3	4	3	3	6
500 acres or more .....		9	—	1	1	2	3	2
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	470	8	28	96	152	121	65
acres..		21 945	81	454	3 010	3 806	12 204	2 390
Irrigated .....	farms..	277	5	18	55	94	79	26
acres..		18 935	25	261	2 679	3 048	11 060	1 861
Farms by acres harvested:								
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		194	2	8	44	68	46	26
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		176	5	13	34	47	45	32
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		67	1	7	11	28	18	2
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		20	—	—	4	7	5	4
250.0 acres or more .....		13	—	—	3	2	7	1

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Item	Total farming and other occupations	Farming							
		Total	Age of operator (years)						
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65 and over	
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>									
Con.									
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—									
Con.									
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	199	5	16	35	59	39	45
acres..	30 275	28 704	26	2 518	4 190	8 722	6 559	6 688	
Irrigated .....	farms..	192	144	3	14	29	44	24	30
acres..	27 908	26 586	(D)	(D)	3 997	7 848	6 137	6 534	
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	319	204	3	4	22	46	55	74
acres..	43 595	40 793	(D)	(D)	2 534	16 932	7 147	10 540	
Irrigated .....	farms..	169	117	3	3	16	32	27	36
acres..	31 165	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 356	11 182	2 355	9 020	
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	192	146	2	11	32	47	33	21
acres..	39 900	35 371	(D)	(D)	7 864	7 948	10 810	5 610	
Irrigated .....	farms..	174	135	2	11	32	44	28	18
acres..	39 384	34 862	(D)	(D)	7 864	7 947	10 336	5 577	
Land in orchards .....	farms..	9 379	4 121	8	109	439	720	845	2 000
acres..	981 910	772 885	273	24 296	151 867	160 736	205 391	230 322	
Irrigated .....	farms..	6 650	3 084	7	97	358	583	628	1 411
acres..	895 071	718 930	258	23 188	134 077	152 716	197 011	211 680	
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		2 300	771	2	19	55	117	159	419
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		3 770	1 404	2	29	120	217	264	772
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		2 167	1 101	4	32	116	198	239	512
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		574	392	—	15	68	77	81	151
250.0 acres or more .....		568	453	—	14	80	111	102	146
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	7 676	3 454	7	97	387	588	679	1 696
Bearing and nonbearing—acres..		959 364	760 216	255	23 949	149 648	157 697	202 222	226 445

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		Total	Age of operator (years)				
			Under 25	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	65 and over
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>							
Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—							
Con.							
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	84	—	3	12	30	27
	acres..	1 572	—	(D)	1 024	131	356
Irrigated .....	farms..	48	—	3	9	16	14
	acres..	1 322	—	(D)	1 004	104	197
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	115	1	8	20	32	34
	acres..	2 802	(D)	35	67	107	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	52	—	5	9	16	17
	acres..	(D)	—	28	44	60	(D)
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	46	—	1	8	13	18
	acres..	4 529	—	(D)	(D)	84	3 031
Irrigated .....	farms..	39	—	1	8	10	16
	acres..	4 522	—	(D)	(D)	80	3 030
Land in orchards .....	farms..	5 258	11	142	781	1 267	1 317
	acres..	209 025	141	4 652	43 654	34 068	40 957
Irrigated .....	farms..	3 566	11	98	559	878	905
	acres..	176 141	141	4 187	40 658	27 038	34 994
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		1 529	—	49	252	404	369
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		2 366	10	68	353	552	584
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		1 066	1	16	136	249	296
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		182	—	5	24	46	44
250.0 acres or more .....		115	—	4	16	16	24
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	4 222	8	112	585	949	1 060
Bearing and nonbearing...acres..		199 148	126	4 460	41 753	31 187	38 649
							1 508
							82 974

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	34 799	7 394	12 750	2 206	2 388	1 984
number..						5.7
percent..	100.0	21.2	36.6	6.3	6.9	
Land in farms .....	10 454 217	31 756	299 482	126 908	195 465	228 044
acres..	300	4	23	58	82	115
Average size of farm .....						
acres..						
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	34 799 farms..	7 394	12 750	2 206	2 388	1 984
\$1,000..	6 004 554	241 916	740 764	161 484	221 273	198 093
Average per farm .....	\$1,000..	172 550	32 718	58 099	92 661	99 845
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	6 759	1 911	3 224	331	343	289
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	4 771	1 213	2 369	310	351	193
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	4 405	1 033	1 755	376	380	286
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4 122	935	1 321	320	390	331
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	3 560	747	1 093	196	238	250
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 012	174	375	46	42	51
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	1 958	340	704	122	112	114
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	847	154	286	74	59	51
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2 188	368	605	189	164	130
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	2 188	334	462	125	168	161
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 061	113	216	51	51	55
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	837	50	200	33	54	35
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	657	16	100	23	25	27
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	232	4	28	8	6	5
\$5,000,000 or more .....	202	2	12	2	5	6
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	12	172	84	118
\$1,000..	27 613	16	386	310	598	93
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	133	—	—	—	554
\$1,000..	17 307	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	8	148	66	84
\$1,000..	12 985	11	318	229	394	65
Wheat .....	farms..	185	—	8	6	20
\$1,000..	1 991	—	—	14	12	10
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	2	18	15	41
\$1,000..	6 798	(D)	(D)	52	137	31
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	—	—	1	1
\$1,000..	116	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	57	—	2	4	5
\$1,000..	369	—	(D)	11	13	1
Other grains .....	farms..	84	2	3	4	6
\$1,000..	5 354	(D)	10	7	(D)	2
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	1	18	9	15
\$1,000..	42 478	(D)	207	(D)	258	21
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	200	—	—	—	381
\$1,000..	39 438	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	4	18	1	14
\$1,000..	25 595	(D)	434	(D)	602	8
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	126	—	3	—	439
\$1,000..	24 528	—	(D)	—	485	5
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	38	560	177	223
\$1,000..	27 263	49	1 718	711	1 145	206
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	104	—	—	—	1 558
\$1,000..	13 518	—	—	—	—	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 497	194	400	83	99
\$1,000..	1 083 921	2 208	11 178	5 879	8 553	89
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	633	6	57	24	49
\$1,000..	1 070 203	(D)	6 250	4 675	7 402	49
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	1 548	3 041	547	540
\$1,000..	1 493 470	7 041	71 364	28 688	47 507	383
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 117	13	329	210	259
\$1,000..	1 429 633	1 011	34 467	22 264	42 318	194
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	2 648	1 652	190	129
\$1,000..	1 449 951	172 314	466 554	88 570	108 093	125
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 182	722	908	113	93 071
\$1,000..	1 407 414	146 470	454 334	87 274	107 352	76
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	22	111	41	69
\$1,000..	666 971	42	1 099	778	982	64
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	449	—	4	5	1 586
\$1,000..	657 657	—	260	417	510	8
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	217	386	61	76
\$1,000..	348 000	20 439	128 178	(D)	31 088	43
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	385	22	140	33	13 888
\$1,000..	346 702	20 104	127 511	17 020	31 034	28
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	3	33	13	16
\$1,000..	382 431	170	3 083	4 070	7 506	27
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	250	2	11	9	12
\$1,000..	381 084	(D)	2 587	3 982	7 408	23
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	936	4 755	1 108	1 355
\$1,000..	301 660	3 133	13 874	4 564	6 632	1 181
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	961	5	15	3	9 214
\$1,000..	215 179	700	1 893	236	646	16

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	1 354	949	671	2 067	1 390	802	844
number..	3.9	2.7	1.9	5.9	4.0	2.3	2.4
Land in farms .....	211 667	187 552	159 618	728 009	948 763	1 074 109	6 262 844
acres..	156	198	238	352	683	1 339	7 420
Average size of farm .....							
.acres..							
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	1 354	949	671	2 067	1 390	802
\$1,000..	144 283	131 922	140 674	501 384	561 194	697 581	2 263 985
Average per farm .....	.dollars..	106 561	139 012	209 648	242 566	403 737	2 682 447
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		176	99	68	169	88	40
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		109	75	33	72	31	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		166	116	50	134	75	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		225	147	98	210	85	36
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		189	149	111	340	155	55
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		46	37	20	100	71	34
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		83	50	58	175	109	60
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		31	19	21	67	40	30
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		82	68	63	183	159	85
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		113	83	57	261	167	106
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		58	49	47	130	132	70
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		44	29	29	124	102	53
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		24	18	10	70	142	110
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		6	8	3	16	23	60
\$5,000,000 or more .....		2	2	3	16	11	26
Grains .....	farms..	90	58	54	210	160	84
\$1,000..	967	798	863	4 506	5 775	5 254	52
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	2	3	27	38	36
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	198	2 030	3 475	4 313	7 072
Corn for grain .....	farms..	64	40	48	164	111	57
\$1,000..	633	346	738	2 456	3 384	2 567	33
Wheat .....	farms..	9	13	7	38	37	24
\$1,000..	45	50	23	502	471	536	13
Soybeans .....	farms..	30	29	13	86	75	42
\$1,000..	240	384	92	1 377	1 507	1 786	19
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	5	1
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	20	(D)	(D)
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	4	6	2	6	16	7
\$1,000..	14	(D)	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	(D)
Other grains .....	farms..	5	1	1	16	19	12
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	126	318	258	4 589
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	19	9	7	81	85	51
\$1,000..	654	183	267	6 740	11 944	11 252	26
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	4	1	2	59	65	44
\$1,000..	236	(D)	(D)	6 165	11 287	11 053	(D)
Tobacco .....	farms..	12	9	12	44	37	18
\$1,000..	1 217	668	1 340	6 042	7 205	(D)	9
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	8	3	7	37	33	2 514
\$1,000..	1 145	520	1 185	5 946	7 090	(D)	8
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	150	113	77	301	196	99
\$1,000..	1 607	954	963	4 468	6 058	2 917	93
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	8	1	4	22	35	5 115
\$1,000..	580	(D)	273	1 924	4 430	1 912	19
\$1,000..							4 135
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	62	42	45	174	132	91
\$1,000..	9 057	11 072	9 723	107 519	145 994	184 164	86
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	30	25	23	116	102	84
\$1,000..	8 529	10 609	9 344	106 203	145 268	183 906	(D)
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	229	170	121	368	238	173
\$1,000..	40 248	33 512	23 659	98 118	140 408	191 462	226
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	134	112	82	253	184	771 568
\$1,000..	38 665	32 729	22 993	96 495	139 692	190 997	201
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	70	54	32	72	61	51
\$1,000..	40 053	41 607	80 115	111 362	86 841	60 107	43
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	49	43	25	50	46	28
\$1,000..	39 713	41 354	80 017	111 079	86 583	59 988	101 106
Other crops .....	farms..	81	55	52	192	187	108
\$1,000..	3 853	3 233	3 934	21 130	55 727	58 261	102
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	14	9	12	79	135	92
\$1,000..	2 865	2 516	3 242	18 567	54 375	57 858	516 345
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	31	22	17	52	18	12
\$1,000..	17 350	20 896	6 777	32 740	8 983	45 763	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	19	17	14	40	15	(D)
\$1,000..	17 315	20 889	(D)	32 695	8 980	45 762	3
Dairy products .....	farms..	31	22	10	62	44	31
\$1,000..	13 841	11 723	4 693	70 446	50 032	92 116	16
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	29	17	9	52	42	28
\$1,000..	(D)	11 577	(D)	70 234	(D)	92 060	108 437
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	821	601	437	1 337	908	541
\$1,000..	8 179	6 081	6 703	25 742	26 950	31 871	620
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	5	10	16	86	158	158
\$1,000..	2 032	1 277	2 146	9 948	14 542	24 749	444
\$1,000..							154 803

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	971	208	357	70	67
\$1,000..		7 997	714	1 537	799	520
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	25	1	2	2	1
\$1,000..		3 922	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	209	41	76	17	15
\$1,000..		288	27	64	20	17
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3 287	1 051	1 399	174	151
\$1,000..		146 917	35 741	41 087	9 895	7 772
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	405	111	150	32	23
\$1,000..		126 258	28 632	32 319	8 613	6 955
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 954	514	807	115	122
\$1,000..		12 547	1 035	3 155	700	1 672
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	34 785	7 279	13 001	2 180	2 446
\$1,000..		4 384 423	156 142	541 916	125 444	163 108
Average per farm .....	dollars..	126 043	21 451	41 683	57 543	66 683
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	935	2 176	386	456
\$1,000..		145 770	13 505	26 697	5 485	9 026
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 655	752	1 703	282	354
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 298	142	321	68	65
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		498	28	116	25	23
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	8	25	8	11
\$250,000 or more .....		95	5	11	3	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	1 722	5 362	1 009	1 144
\$1,000..		446 861	11 761	91 240	13 876	17 416
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		12 068	1 557	4 847	897	1 040
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 724	133	348	52	55
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		490	16	61	31	14
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		163	5	28	10	9
\$250,000 or more .....		384	11	78	19	26
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	8 725	1 019	3 109	603	654
\$1,000..		333 773	8 927	84 699	12 150	14 949
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 060	952	2 754	526	573
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		856	44	210	25	44
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		341	10	45	23	7
\$100,000 or more .....		468	13	100	29	30
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	9 902	2 017	2 953	583	671
\$1,000..		217 919	16 321	39 821	7 130	7 889
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....		5 201	1 273	1 908	323	420
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 235	340	487	183	162
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 462	290	290	43	60
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		409	52	131	12	5
\$50,000 or more .....		595	62	137	22	24
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	4 576	8 609	1 528	1 642
\$1,000..		347 559	4 325	20 019	7 065	7 992
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		17 517	4 423	7 800	1 078	1 199
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 971	146	734	424	409
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		784	4	46	15	21
\$50,000 or more .....		963	3	29	11	13
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	3 973	6 403	1 148	1 111
\$1,000..		350 556	2 530	18 151	7 073	7 361
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		13 342	3 934	5 499	734	732
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2 913	38	823	348	331
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		647	1	57	52	29
\$50,000 or more .....		939	—	24	14	19
Petroleum products .....	farms..	29 619	5 731	10 745	1 979	2 090
\$1,000..		131 636	6 740	17 049	3 752	4 657
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		25 775	5 498	10 084	1 846	1 928
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 008	221	569	116	141
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		459	7	66	8	14
\$50,000 or more .....		377	5	26	9	7
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	20 205	4 248	6 885	1 225	1 324
\$1,000..		50 229	3 131	6 750	1 356	1 606
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	21 549	2 901	7 603	1 606	1 704
\$1,000..		60 717	1 792	6 015	1 585	1 979
Natural gas .....	farms..	394	69	114	19	30
\$1,000..		2 120	154	600	82	356
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	18 420	2 951	5 735	1 312	1 353
\$1,000..		18 570	1 663	3 684	730	716

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. 38	22	24	62	26	26	9
\$1,000.. 399	227	264	1 324	913	619	288	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 1	1	2	4	5	2	3
\$1,000.. (D)	(D)	(D)	828	733	(D)	252	
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. 6	6	9	10	4	5	8
\$1,000.. 7	7	9	15	4	7	85	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. —	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$1,000.. —	—	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. 76	40	35	107	51	30	40
\$1,000.. 6 851	961	1 364	11 233	14 360	(D)	(D)	
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. 17	4	4	15	13	4	10
\$1,000.. 6 490	(D)	1 237	10 631	14 127	(D)	(D)	4 069
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms.. 51	36	28	89	51	29	20
\$1,000.. 439	649	256	953	935	915	915	1 132
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. 1 415	873	615	2 066	1 329	718	844
\$1,000.. 117 603	94 830	83 651	388 147	418 266	518 426	1 629 931	
Average per farm .....	dollars.. 83 112	108 626	136 018	187 873	314 722	722 042	1 931 198
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. 329	183	2 158	535	460	257	438
\$1,000.. 6 843	4 341	2 527	14 504	10 039	17 723	30 618	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	230	143	116	347	264	120	102
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	54	15	19	117	130	84	194
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	33	13	18	40	41	26	90
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	6	9	5	20	16	13	22
\$250,000 or more .....	6	3	—	11	9	14	30
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. 703	509	265	1 182	817	464	587
\$1,000.. 20 208	17 290	6 511	59 397	32 826	77 236	81 464	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	540	455	202	798	483	212	107
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	97	24	42	258	250	168	237
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	28	5	6	43	33	49	162
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	13	3	4	23	12	1	46
\$250,000 or more .....	25	22	11	60	39	34	35
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. 409	301	133	709	475	293	407
\$1,000.. 16 720	15 746	5 821	42 062	22 513	54 955	40 514	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	319	269	92	526	311	121	107
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	43	2	22	73	99	108	147
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	14	6	5	34	24	35	106
\$100,000 or more .....	33	24	14	76	41	29	47
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. 462	263	209	850	597	337	355
\$1,000.. 3 775	2 157	2 060	26 651	14 970	17 489	72 795	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	235	91	60	309	117	63	35
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	129	101	105	261	184	51	62
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	69	59	24	205	164	113	104
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	17	5	9	26	62	45	35
\$50,000 or more .....	12	7	11	49	70	65	119
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. 972	551	420	1 447	982	520	593
\$1,000.. 8 156	5 662	4 820	24 748	35 042	40 157	180 482	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	579	319	223	618	188	71	69
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	290	164	131	550	404	152	170
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	86	49	49	163	169	81	69
\$50,000 or more .....	17	19	17	116	221	216	285
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. 686	413	307	1 074	786	482	526
\$1,000.. 6 596	5 687	5 363	24 329	36 793	48 732	180 081	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	406	194	176	491	295	141	154
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	224	142	71	303	183	104	78
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	40	59	29	147	90	43	38
\$50,000 or more .....	16	18	31	133	218	194	256
Petroleum products .....	farms.. 1 275	802	580	1 872	1 275	704	831
\$1,000.. 3 832	2 624	2 851	10 887	13 928	14 049	47 145	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 098	685	459	1 335	751	308	240
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	162	108	105	450	382	244	335
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	11	6	13	65	93	86	78
\$50,000 or more .....	4	3	3	22	49	66	178
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. 808	491	404	1 388	971	595	723
\$1,000.. 1 098	812	994	4 154	4 471	4 471	19 370	
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. 1 071	665	494	1 621	1 098	632	730
\$1,000.. 1 806	1 413	1 182	5 152	7 684	7 365	22 748	
Natural gas .....	farms.. 28	19	17	30	22	14	7
\$1,000.. 214	47	(D)	145	119	(D)	70	
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. 848	580	477	1 520	1 088	634	766
\$1,000.. 713	353	(D)	1 436	1 655	(D)	4 956	

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	4 498 3 733	7 622 9 065	1 326 2 011	1 422 3 009	1 184 2 219
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	3 584	5 917	936	1 056	841
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	827	1 370	318	267	230
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	81	305	59	89	95
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	2	21	12	5	15
\$50,000 or more .....	133	4	9	1	5	3
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	2 069 39 501	3 625 136 552	755 28 966	823 47 301	713 36 597
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	1 291	2 294	446	466	418
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	425	553	186	172	172
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	265	474	83	126	69
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	70	179	13	21	25
\$250,000 or more .....	716	18	125	27	38	29
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	6 515 50 085	957 2 634	1 677 8 332	397 1 753	399 2 497	383 1 965
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	10 419 74 884	1 752 4 449	3 216 13 241	660 3 045	699 4 151	572 3 125
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 481 477 373	1 065 7 350	2 593 30 373	525 12 098	464 9 913	413 12 968
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	433	599	112	59	86
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	459	1 075	113	112	117
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	124	729	147	196	111
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	25	76	114	36	45
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	24	114	39	61	54
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	24 621 195 760	4 671 9 696	8 728 24 021	1 502 6 344	1 747 7 388	1 468 5 813
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	4 204	7 766	1 209	1 456	1 216
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	442	823	257	250	211
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	19	84	21	24	30
\$50,000 or more .....	651	6	55	15	17	11
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 081 99 207	815 1 354	2 124 4 523	492 3 294	583 2 285	470 2 703
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	506	1 172	201	266	193
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	280	737	181	200	196
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	23	204	90	99	49
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	3	8	18	14	16
\$50,000 or more .....	302	3	3	2	4	16
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	1 504 6 605	3 153 22 869	546 5 748	664 8 131	675 5 880
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	1 154	2 098	281	378	435
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	319	895	233	213	197
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	28	141	27	66	39
\$100,000 or more .....	363	3	19	5	7	4
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 671 175 286	1 173 4 837	2 550 17 547	468 4 621	475 5 584	483 4 202
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	280	389	75	54	42
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	608	1 237	160	184	260
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	274	813	208	175	152
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	5	61	17	49	15
\$50,000 or more .....	571	6	50	8	13	14
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 034 62 250	474 1 768	995 5 322	139 1 127	285 2 548	295 1 678
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	184	477	30	109	87
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	225	338	68	106	143
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	47	130	32	60	51
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	16	36	5	5	8
\$50,000 or more .....	204	2	14	4	5	6
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 277 56 025	487 2 035	906 2 623	200 982	249 1 391	326 1 321
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	395	812	183	210	296
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	36	42	3	14	8
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	41	26	3	17	12
\$25,000 or more .....	383	15	26	11	8	10
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	32 866 136 457	6 613 7 287	12 439 18 013	2 091 4 829	2 339 5 276	1 956 4 683
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	6 465	11 919	1 888	2 108	1 703
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	127	336	143	148	189
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	19	156	50	71	53
\$25,000 or more .....	648	2	28	10	12	11
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 438 561 134	5 792 23 399	10 617 80 900	1 848 16 792	2 020 24 072	1 728 24 742
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	5 151	9 287	1 452	1 732	1 330
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	453	854	307	191	297
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	86	191	38	22	39
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	61	127	23	34	27
\$100,000 or more .....	905	41	158	28	41	35

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	887	463	350	1 419	966	579	687
	1 670	1 307	937	5 240	5 740	5 972	14 119
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	607	265	209	810	480	209	168
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	198	145	96	388	258	185	223
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	76	42	43	183	195	123	204
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	4	8	—	22	23	34	42
\$50,000 or more .....	2	3	2	16	10	28	50
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	526	345	288	1 041	791	536	687
	24 241	20 962	27 546	76 764	96 688	91 522	298 967
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	298	191	146	497	253	119	84
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	95	53	58	235	165	122	145
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	89	60	60	169	187	114	184
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	22	20	15	79	106	75	94
\$250,000 or more .....	22	21	9	61	80	106	180
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	260	166	152	555	548	450	571
	2 162	1 332	1 073	3 914	4 945	4 921	14 557
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	467	273	249	913	653	401	564
	1 979	1 845	1 657	6 689	7 924	7 662	19 117
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	268	222	173	574	451	336	397
	7 875	7 042	7 379	31 029	40 012	64 523	246 813
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	23	58	43	89	65	24	21
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	99	54	50	159	113	92	87
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	55	57	34	141	83	47	59
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	37	27	13	41	40	19	32
\$50,000 or more .....	54	26	33	144	150	154	198
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 083	617	448	1 738	1 165	653	801
	5 948	4 672	3 859	17 935	20 667	21 548	67 870
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	857	439	290	1 052	552	231	218
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	166	151	135	540	411	224	267
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	39	16	16	81	99	75	99
\$50,000 or more .....	21	11	7	65	103	123	217
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	360	200	199	676	470	280	412
	2 163	2 210	1 414	8 293	10 878	13 136	46 954
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	141	53	79	210	63	28	27
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	145	71	72	246	161	64	119
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	49	56	31	152	165	97	140
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	13	8	11	25	23	35	39
\$50,000 or more .....	12	12	6	43	58	56	87
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	464	336	184	888	751	420	577
	4 808	4 506	3 669	17 504	22 702	25 917	109 197
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	228	196	78	377	292	107	125
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	183	92	72	367	275	123	150
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	50	45	27	107	130	119	152
\$100,000 or more .....	3	3	7	37	54	71	150
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	359	226	143	626	481	291	396
	3 831	3 410	2 849	13 353	16 506	18 322	80 224
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	30	23	14	60	10	3	10
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	123	90	49	165	144	53	56
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	163	76	56	285	195	90	101
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	30	14	11	42	50	49	50
\$50,000 or more .....	13	23	13	74	82	96	179
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	194	152	82	440	418	233	327
	976	1 096	819	4 151	6 196	7 596	28 974
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	79	54	14	137	103	54	32
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	58	67	32	149	114	47	65
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	48	15	24	117	136	74	114
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	8	14	10	19	34	22	33
\$50,000 or more .....	1	2	2	18	31	36	83
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	200	146	139	655	422	245	302
	1 124	1 161	723	6 001	7 453	7 808	23 403
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	173	121	123	466	191	85	87
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	8	12	8	62	67	63	51
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	9	3	—	77	95	37	58
\$25,000 or more .....	10	10	8	50	69	60	106
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 335	801	580	1 978	1 257	668	809
	3 550	2 682	2 119	8 697	11 615	10 721	56 985
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 145	685	490	1 623	823	294	251
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	135	74	42	152	194	147	130
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	37	35	41	155	122	113	155
\$25,000 or more .....	18	7	7	48	118	114	273
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 326	773	590	1 904	1 296	708	836
	16 814	12 529	11 874	56 167	58 912	61 893	173 040
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 032	590	447	1 273	687	252	191
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	174	112	91	381	343	217	257
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	54	24	25	90	69	64	102
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	33	21	12	76	78	57	79
\$100,000 or more .....	33	26	15	84	119	118	207

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	number..	34 787	7 279	13 003	2 180	2 446
\$1,000..		1 573 154	64 795	203 003	37 952	51 472
Average per farm .....	dollars..	45 222	8 902	15 612	17 409	21 043
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	16 344	3 562	5 346	1 002	1 070
Average net gain .....	dollars..	107 434	23 066	45 750	47 398	57 309
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 351	593	1 060	169	128
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 250	1 732	2 074	397	532
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 267	863	1 412	296	254
\$50,000 or more .....		3 476	374	800	140	156
Farms with net losses .....	number..	18 443	3 717	7 657	1 178	1 376
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 909	4 672	5 430	8 099	7 157
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		3 024	876	1 213	209	246
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		12 083	2 504	5 453	744	838
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 970	317	967	217	276
\$50,000 or more .....		366	20	24	8	16
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	105	449	183	267
\$1,000..		11 074	119	489	276	453
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	570	1 359	348	428
\$1,000..		44 430	1 744	8 955	1 867	2 326
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	240	476	90	103
\$1,000..		17 039	813	5 575	904	787
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	199	456	80	155
\$1,000..		10 962	459	1 560	331	746
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	42	124	52	47
\$1,000..		9 654	319	429	98	144
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	110	422	177	161
\$1,000..		6 774	153	1 391	533	650
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms..	118	3	16	6	9
\$1,000..		1 936	(D)	31	5	48
Corn .....	farms..	62	2	8	3	(Z)
\$1,000..		138	(D)	(D)	(Z)	1
Wheat .....	farms..	15	—	—	—	15
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	—	1	—	2
\$1,000..		62	—	(D)	—	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	32	—	4	2	2
\$1,000..		808	—	3	(D)	(D)
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	1	3	1	4
\$1,000..		900	(D)	25	(D)	19
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	5 605	9 848	1 725	1 945
acres..		3 639 850	18 584	178 912	72 726	113 142
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	5 009	6 945	1 289	1 418
acres..		2 435 702	14 655	98 938	39 730	56 206
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	5 009	6 945	894	880
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	—	—	395	538
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	—	—	—	261
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	—	—	—	233
500 to 999 acres .....		458	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		174	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	686	3 862	791	969
acres..		895 684	3 020	68 081	27 712	47 600
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	29	195	68	93
acres..		39 152	66	1 726	1 291	2 387
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	37	109	16	25
acres..		14 457	88	773	247	854
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	15	39	18	34
acres..		47 061	31	270	178	524
Idle .....	farms..	2 816	293	943	197	234
acres..		207 794	724	9 124	3 568	5 571
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	233	2 249	756	940
acres..		2 132 308	599	26 719	18 953	34 516
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	67	931	342	400
acres..		1 091 166	150	9 768	6 800	11 408
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	179	1 512	496	658
acres..		1 041 142	449	16 951	12 153	23 108

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more	
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>								
All farms .....	number..	1 415	873	615	2 066	1 329	718	844
\$1,000..	.....	33 728	31 806	53 216	102 346	134 469	172 995	634 054
Average per farm .....	dollars..	23 836	36 433	86 530	49 538	101 181	240 941	751 249
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	718	375	311	1 088	714	509	615
Average net gain .....	.....	54 045	98 161	186 583	108 466	209 983	366 540	1 090 207
Gain of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....	.....	65	64	22	78	8	10	8
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	.....	296	105	103	299	119	84	74
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	.....	171	89	81	340	219	140	132
\$50,000 or more .....	.....	186	117	105	371	368	275	401
Farms with net losses .....	number..	697	498	304	978	615	209	229
Average net loss.....	dollars..	7 284	10 048	15 826	16 018	25 137	64 945	159 051
Loss of—								
Less than \$1,000 .....	.....	101	42	19	115	19	2	15
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....	.....	485	332	197	506	288	90	54
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....	.....	105	112	66	294	262	70	78
\$50,000 or more .....	.....	6	12	22	63	46	47	82
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>								
Government payments .....	farms..	276	155	130	516	296	149	104
\$1,000..	.....	681	406	482	2 430	2 008	1 333	1 828
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	271	157	157	555	338	147	110
\$1,000..	.....	2 233	1 260	1 772	3 994	5 929	4 296	8 230
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	50	44	48	137	48	29	19
\$1,000..	.....	1 303	443	782	1 603	1 528	1 780	396
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	61	52	41	151	96	30	36
\$1,000..	.....	223	143	543	1 010	2 660	1 132	2 005
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	45	59	44	72	93	47	46
\$1,000..	.....	446	564	290	667	886	906	4 548
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	136	38	54	275	159	74	44
\$1,000..	.....	262	110	158	713	855	478	1 281
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>								
Total .....	farms..	10	7	5	25	23	8	3
\$1,000..	.....	10	33	9	688	193	613	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	5	4	4	10	13	3	1
\$1,000..	.....	(D)	(D)	5	26	38	46	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	—	1	3	2	5	2	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	1	1	2	3	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	3	—	—	11	6	4	—
\$1,000..	.....	5	—	—	364	97	338	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	1	3	4	4	5	4	2
\$1,000..	.....	(D)	32	—	247	44	(D)	(D)
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>								
Total cropland .....	farms..	1 089	760	557	1 706	1 116	610	595
Acres..	.....	115 234	100 655	87 772	397 690	496 652	434 596	1 497 804
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	812	574	413	1 376	930	545	545
Acres..	.....	52 845	47 855	40 225	207 203	293 395	319 127	1 206 846
Farms by acres harvested:								
1 to 49 acres .....	.....	414	263	168	417	164	56	40
50 to 99 acres .....	.....	164	103	72	258	107	58	34
100 to 199 acres .....	.....	234	150	90	229	149	64	74
200 to 499 acres .....	.....	—	58	83	472	240	109	90
500 to 999 acres .....	.....	—	—	—	—	270	117	71
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	.....	—	—	—	—	—	141	62
2,000 acres or more .....	.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	174
Cropland:								
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	614	429	324	913	542	228	169
Acres..	.....	51 014	44 821	40 862	160 451	175 072	85 976	134 761
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	63	31	28	92	46	38	20
Acres..	.....	2 511	1 531	1 249	6 907	3 011	6 934	9 107
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	27	12	16	42	34	13	6
Acres..	.....	927	576	709	2 005	3 502	1 544	2 382
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	14	11	11	46	13	6	15
Acres..	.....	540	263	424	1 820	1 796	1 821	38 953
Idle .....	farms..	149	104	81	253	156	83	93
Acres..	.....	7 397	5 609	4 303	19 304	19 876	19 194	105 755
Total woodland .....	farms..	607	459	333	997	672	376	401
Acres..	.....	44 180	41 817	34 667	158 204	196 394	208 835	1 320 831
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	303	210	181	473	345	225	286
Acres..	.....	15 533	12 719	13 431	54 513	81 300	95 860	774 186
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	411	327	220	713	456	240	211
Acres..	.....	28 647	29 098	21 236	103 691	115 094	112 975	546 645

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	8 495 4 069 927	686 3 153	3 008 55 217	616 23 449	624 32 482	538 35 974
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	18 528 612 132	3 912 9 420	6 739 38 634	1 187 11 780	1 257 15 325	1 050 19 394
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	12 673 1 862 404	3 795 10 464	4 441 63 175	702 24 392	648 32 577	514 31 163
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	12 202 1 729 449	3 687 10 067	4 254 60 652	678 23 811	628 31 792	494 30 350
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	745 132 955	155 397	288 2 523	44 581	25 785	31 813
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	1 624 125 878	39 88	240 4 154	109 3 399	173 7 380	187 8 882
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 787 23 047 695	7 279 753 404	13 003 2 626 022	2 180 651 746	2 446 806 149	2 019 768 658
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	103 504	201 955	298 966	329 578	380 712
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	24 207	8 696	5 182	3 991	3 322
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3 876	2 255	1 369	45	102	44
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	3 559	1 267	1 687	217	157	100
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 014	905	1 611	140	160	91
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	4 566	1 011	2 130	327	418	364
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 577	683	1 695	284	245	199
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	9 404	1 061	3 657	823	911	756
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3 411	86	657	282	333	362
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	1 611	8	130	51	87	74
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 138	3	63	9	33	24
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	—	4	2	—	5
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 786 1 421 654	7 279 139 232	13 003 312 725	2 180 61 320	2 446 62 289	2 019 63 490
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 239	1 806	2 612	366	423	341
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7 040	1 734	2 870	469	454	420
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7 275	1 559	3 059	430	643	408
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	8 371	1 475	2 994	598	629	571
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 203	504	974	209	171	159
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 683	178	400	81	108	87
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	685	20	77	24	13	23
\$500,000 or more .....	290	3	17	3	5	10
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Mototrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	27 590 54 030	5 618 8 216	9 886 14 835	1 778 2 944	1 880 2 886	1 586 2 909
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	28 305 51 110	4 875 6 665	10 722 15 854	1 819 2 794	2 127 3 607	1 776 3 081
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 078 20 900	3 430 4 130	6 649 8 293	961 1 205	1 175 1 581	856 1 111
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	16 943 30 210	2 010 2 535	5 598 7 561	1 185 1 589	1 394 2 026	1 238 1 970
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	15 680 25 210	1 817 2 246	5 280 6 822	1 124 1 444	1 277 1 758	1 178 1 752
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 067 5 000	277 289	637 739	129 145	219 268	125 218
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	648 773	16	89	66	37	38
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	249 325	—	94	66	39	52
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	5 327 6 241	711 769	1 782 2 073	426 489	423 480	463 525
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 056 2 612	37 44	308 354	98 139	280 321	243 305
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 087 2 939 310	4 439 13 701	8 600 131 579	1 528 52 831	1 642 73 556	1 395 84 700
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 714 1 596 677	2 059 6 018	3 779 58 574	730 26 914	707 32 100	552 34 640
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 128 285 104	293 1 054	697 9 693	145 5 716	137 5 825	106 5 972
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	7 246 1 033 768	1 458 4 778	2 545 40 380	528 20 097	490 22 431	365 24 640
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 491 1 494 432	1 942 6 268	3 753 57 041	734 25 945	672 30 016	612 37 289
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 041 116 751	180 562	291 3 370	59 2 422	57 2 381	61 3 732

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	412 36 211	273 32 401	202 28 038	634 125 973	508 192 888	420 372 707	574 3 131 434
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	720 16 042	490 12 679	356 9 141	1 088 46 142	786 62 829	430 57 971	513 312 775
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	353 28 292	245 27 137	188 23 488	605 114 247	474 167 866	339 226 743	369 1 112 860
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	340 26 658	230 26 140	181 22 441	582 109 463	449 160 125	327 217 433	352 1 010 517
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	24 1 634	21 997	12 1 047	38 4 784	38 7 741	28 9 310	41 102 343
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	156 9 208	94 6 688	90 6 725	273 25 619	140 18 618	75 14 421	48 20 696
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 415 608 278	873 393 321	615 370 105	2 066 1 696 615	1 329 1 870 015	718 1 988 364	844 10 515 019
Average per farm ..... dollars..	429 879	450 539	601 796	821 208	1 407 084	2 769 309	12 458 553
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 751	2 286	2 525	2 345	2 055	2 079	1 679
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	36	17	5	3	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	52	24	28	27	—	—	—
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	41	19	21	19	7	—	—
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	134	77	33	60	1	11	—
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	206	102	32	104	20	6	1
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	538	428	250	783	163	31	3
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	307	117	135	535	506	63	28
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	78	70	85	370	357	234	67
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	23	18	25	154	237	274	275
\$5,000,000 or more .....	—	1	1	11	38	99	470
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 415 59 651	873 31 806	615 30 482	2 066 125 348	1 329 137 306	717 127 906	844 270 098
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	214	112	67	174	73	23	28
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	230	198	125	306	114	78	42
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	312	157	104	293	153	75	82
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	368	217	161	660	390	145	163
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	131	105	94	344	236	123	153
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	115	61	37	167	196	98	155
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	41	22	22	92	114	116	121
\$500,000 or more .....	4	1	5	30	53	59	100
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	1 125 2 245	776 1 629	475 1 054	1 814 4 284	1 192 3 964	659 3 017	801 6 047
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	1 226 2 277	737 1 383	533 993	1 879 4 156	1 194 3 641	651 2 354	766 4 305
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	506 754	362 491	253 334	828 1 140	496 830	314 394	314 637
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	908 1 523	561 892	395 659	1 481 3 016	1 027 2 811	542 1 960	604 3 668
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	804 1 229	483 714	374 580	1 364 2 408	966 2 188	472 1 316	541 2 753
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	186 294	151 178	70 79	378 608	356 623	256 644	283 915
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	25 33	11 11	15 15	127 143	126 156	59 84	39 64
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	30 46	2 (D)	2 (D)	87 105	57 68	45 57	26 45
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	221 272	166 190	99 117	435 517	329 408	133 196	139 205
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	127 157	86 116	71 95	343 455	205 271	142 186	116 169
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	972 75 183	551 48 808	420 48 001	1 446 247 077	982 339 573	519 340 049	593 1 484 252
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	412 31 643	279 28 336	209 21 213	736 124 646	557 186 478	327 223 510	367 822 605
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	98 5 952	56 5 028	54 5 994	171 30 927	190 51 348	89 43 557	92 114 038
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	243 18 616	195 20 588	114 15 985	459 75 331	397 127 134	233 152 937	219 510 851
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	465 33 586	227 22 955	211 24 608	677 129 467	557 178 612	331 211 932	310 736 713
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	70 3 541	13 2 394	22 2 469	132 22 634	77 22 199	47 22 793	32 28 254

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	34 799	7 394	12 750	2 206	2 388	1 984
Full owners .....	26 962	6 522	10 768	1 666	1 771	1 411
Part owners .....	5 492	229	1 380	418	481	442
Tenants .....	2 345	643	602	122	136	131
White .....	33 481	7 005	12 234	2 124	2 292	1 911
Full owners .....	26 043	6 193	10 390	1 621	1 714	1 372
Part owners .....	5 230	214	1 291	390	451	411
Tenants .....	2 208	598	553	113	127	128
Black and other races .....	1 318	389	516	82	96	73
Full owners .....	919	329	378	45	57	39
Part owners .....	262	15	89	28	30	31
Tenants .....	137	45	49	9	9	3
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned..... farms..	32 502	6 757	12 165	2 088	2 254	1 859
acres..	8 310 743	65 405	308 972	118 562	176 300	200 148
Owned land in farms .....	32 454	6 751	12 148	2 084	2 252	1 853
acres..	7 648 772	28 934	268 533	105 863	162 099	184 416
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	7 895	894	541	621	576
acres..	2 851 242	5 841	36 863	21 136	34 048	48 495
landlords..	15 172	1 043	2 672	829	1 063	982
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 837	872	1 982	540	573
acres..	2 805 445	2 822	33 949	21 045	33 366	43 628
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	2 406	466	625	147	176
acres..	707 768	39 490	46 353	12 790	14 883	20 599
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	21 333	4 805	8 247	1 360	1 479	1 162
Not on farm operated .....	10 106	1 771	3 529	666	690	631
Not reported .....	3 360	818	974	180	219	191
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	15 782	2 766	4 967	994	1 082	1 001
Other .....	19 017	4 628	7 783	1 212	1 306	983
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	14 054	2 865	4 656	874	965	842
Any .....	18 337	4 084	7 307	1 200	1 266	978
1 to 99 days .....	2 407	519	885	155	157	128
100 to 199 days .....	2 778	618	1 076	173	191	156
200 days or more .....	13 152	2 947	5 346	872	918	694
Not reported .....	2 408	445	787	132	157	164
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	1 924	533	787	104	121	79
3 or 4 years .....	2 802	829	1 128	159	162	110
5 to 9 years .....	5 431	1 466	2 204	339	304	270
10 years or more .....	18 327	3 213	6 464	1 227	1 391	1 165
Average years on present farm .....	17.3	13.1	15.7	18.2	19.4	20.5
Not reported .....	6 315	1 353	2 167	377	410	360
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	150	39	39	23	9	8
25 to 34 years .....	1 493	373	558	81	90	70
35 to 44 years .....	5 664	1 532	2 161	264	296	241
45 to 49 years .....	4 111	1 020	1 505	249	247	201
50 to 54 years .....	4 518	956	1 662	325	323	255
55 to 59 years .....	4 356	916	1 573	274	310	245
60 to 64 years .....	3 937	724	1 505	252	269	251
65 to 69 years .....	3 802	662	1 341	260	297	250
70 years and over .....	6 768	1 172	2 406	478	547	463
Average age .....	56.5	54.4	56.3	57.7	58.2	58.6
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	29 415	5 894	10 601	1 879	2 082	1 709
Female .....	5 384	1 500	2 149	327	306	275
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....						
1 060	409	372	49	39	39	39
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	27 173	6 025	10 494	1 794	1 914	1 578
acres..	4 473 744	26 119	246 275	103 208	156 594	181 409
Partnership .....	farms..	2 716	336	854	173	181
acres..	1 614 276	1 441	21 412	9 921	14 576	20 566
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	851	1 072	193	241
acres..	3 021 393	3 465	24 163	11 143	19 718	21 724
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	157	7	16	2	3
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	3 724	844	1 056	191	236
Other than family held .....	farms..	635	130	198	24	30
acres..	1 065 642	529	4 333	1 389	2 466	2 369
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	67	10	1	2	3
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	568	130	188	23	28
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	394	52	132	22	25
acres..	279 162	202	3 299	1 247	2 111	1 976

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	1 354	949	671	2 067	1 390	802	844
Full owners .....	946	628	427	1 181	762	414	466
Part owners .....	327	248	180	702	487	296	302
Tenants .....	81	73	64	184	141	92	76
White .....	1 313	929	648	2 025	1 373	787	840
Full owners .....	926	618	415	1 163	754	413	464
Part owners .....	309	240	172	686	480	286	300
Tenants .....	78	71	61	176	139	88	76
Black and other races .....	41	20	23	42	17	15	4
Full owners .....	20	10	12	18	8	1	2
Part owners .....	18	8	8	16	7	10	2
Tenants .....	3	2	3	8	2	4	—
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	1 276	876	608	1 886	1 252	712	769
acres..	181 203	157 605	135 331	558 161	767 724	739 764	4 901 568
Owned land in farms .....	1 273	876	607	1 883	1 249	710	768
acres..	171 146	144 649	120 709	513 586	653 281	713 612	4 584 944
Land rented or leased from others .....	409	322	244	890	632	390	378
farms..	41 327	44 171	40 513	217 526	300 437	365 875	1 695 010
acres..	765	642	483	2 295	1 934	1 283	1 181
landlords..							
Rented or leased land in farms .....	408	321	244	886	628	388	378
acres..	40 521	42 903	38 909	214 423	295 482	360 497	1 677 900
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	134	91	72	221	143	62
acres..	10 863	14 224	16 226	47 678	119 398	31 530	97
333 734							
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	834	539	355	1 215	690	325	322
Not on farm operated .....	400	301	242	639	541	350	346
Not reported .....	120	109	74	213	159	127	176
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	713	481	357	1 291	911	551	668
Other .....	641	468	314	776	479	251	176
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	574	410	280	998	724	405	461
Any .....	685	473	329	904	544	312	255
1 to 99 days .....	97	55	54	164	85	55	53
100 to 199 days .....	119	82	46	154	80	58	25
200 days or more .....	469	336	229	586	379	199	177
Not reported .....	95	66	62	165	122	85	128
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	50	46	23	80	47	27	27
3 or 4 years .....	74	69	38	104	63	31	35
5 to 9 years .....	131	100	75	233	146	86	77
10 years or more .....	859	562	417	1 267	850	464	448
Average years on present farm .....	22.3	21.6	22.4	22.1	22.1	21.4	22.5
Not reported .....	240	172	118	383	284	194	257
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	7	3	2	9	6	1	4
25 to 34 years .....	45	46	20	98	57	27	28
35 to 44 years .....	182	122	91	301	186	138	150
45 to 49 years .....	139	88	83	221	152	100	106
50 to 54 years .....	151	132	92	243	187	106	86
55 to 59 years .....	184	123	74	242	196	100	119
60 to 64 years .....	152	110	69	254	160	101	90
65 to 69 years .....	186	130	83	229	177	91	96
70 years and over .....	308	195	157	470	269	138	165
Average age .....	58.6	57.8	58.2	57.6	57.3	56.3	56.7
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	1 200	850	600	1 816	1 257	743	784
Female .....	154	99	71	251	133	59	60
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	22	16	7	30	31	33	13
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	1 074	712	488	1 504	867	400	323
acres..	167 644	140 654	116 091	526 797	586 492	531 170	1 691 291
Partnership .....	farms..	123	96	212	181	146	160
acres..	19 381	18 892	17 924	75 777	122 475	199 677	1 092 234
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	119	108	88	272	204	270
acres..	18 722	21 401	21 081	96 936	194 162	275 641	2 313 237
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	7	5	1	11	23	64
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	112	103	87	261	191	206
Other than family held .....	farms..	25	15	12	47	40	32
acres..	3 926	3 002	2 847	17 384	27 835	43 166	956 396
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	2	2	3	4	9	8
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	23	13	9	43	31	24
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	13	18	7	32	27	20
acres..	1 994	3 603	1 675	11 115	17 799	24 455	209 686

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	199	30	55	12	19
number..		238	34	71	16	12
Hired workers .....	farms..	588	43	117	21	33
number..		1 531	59	222	54	106
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	—
number..		(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	6	—	1	—	—
number..		6	—	(D)	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....		7 394	7 394	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres .....		12 750	—	12 750	—	—
50 to 69 acres .....		2 206	—	—	2 206	—
70 to 99 acres .....		2 388	—	—	2 388	1 984
100 to 139 acres .....		1 984	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres .....		1 354	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres .....		949	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres .....		671	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres .....		2 067	—	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....		1 390	—	—	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		802	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		844	—	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		1 118	19	208	106	164
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		1 250	187	344	62	69
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		8 245	1 996	3 465	555	524
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		4 902	2 603	1 601	172	113
Other crop farming (1119) .....		2 137	60	504	140	199
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		137	4	16	1	8
Cotton farming (11192) .....		202	1	16	7	12
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 798	55	472	132	179
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		12 040	992	4 414	890	1 083
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		309	66	140	21	14
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		296	5	32	14	16
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		468	159	200	22	22
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		560	96	227	40	51
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		272	83	152	11	9
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		3 202	1 128	1 463	173	124
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	15 849	1 316	5 533	1 165	1 387	1 201
number..	1 808 900	20 011	86 177	31 154	47 152	58 497
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		3 578	888	2 141	176	149
10 to 49 .....		7 493	368	3 254	875	992
50 to 99 .....		2 060	37	93	94	216
100 to 199 .....		1 190	12	31	14	20
200 to 499 .....		891	7	14	6	6
500 or more .....		637	4	—	—	15
						8
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	13 930	959	4 594	1 041	1 249
number..		1 162 686	11 096	47 163	18 451	28 743
Beef cows .....	farms..	13 600	923	4 511	1 023	1 233
number..		1 003 072	10 841	45 218	16 870	25 786
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		4 552	726	2 767	321	292
10 to 49 .....		5 878	165	1 700	674	866
50 to 99 .....		1 448	17	31	27	73
100 to 199 .....		790	9	8	1	5
200 to 499 .....		599	5	5	—	1
500 or more .....		333	1	—	—	3
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	77	201	39	46
number..		159 614	255	1 945	1 581	2 957
Farms with—						
1 to 4 .....		314	67	140	22	26
5 to 9 .....		57	7	30	4	4
10 to 49 .....		65	3	23	5	5
50 to 99 .....		31	—	4	1	2
100 to 199 .....		28	—	3	4	3
200 to 499 .....		73	—	1	3	6
500 or more .....		98	—	—	—	1
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	11 905	794	3 920	878	1 067	931
number..		370 425	4 673	21 077	6 972	10 281
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	955	4 544	1 033	1 220
number..		275 789	4 242	17 937	5 731	8 128

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	5	7	7	23	13	9
number..		6	12	7	27	15	8
Hired workers .....	farms..	22	22	15	53	68	73
number..		41	38	24	136	149	202
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	1	1	—	3
number..		—	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 to 49 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50 to 69 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
70 to 99 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 139 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
140 to 179 acres .....	1 354	—	—	—	—	—	—
180 to 219 acres .....	—	949	—	—	—	—	—
220 to 259 acres .....	—	—	671	—	—	—	—
260 to 499 acres .....	—	—	—	2 067	—	—	—
500 to 999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	1 390	—	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	—	—	—	—	—	802	—
2,000 acres or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	844
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	114	56	49	138	81	35	17
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	46	40	38	138	119	75	54
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	217	160	111	323	204	142	168
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	64	51	27	56	50	30	23
Other crop farming (1119) .....	152	97	75	309	221	108	94
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	12	7	11	33	22	12	5
Cotton farming (11192) .....	10	6	4	51	47	22	8
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	130	84	60	225	152	74	81
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	623	466	315	914	614	369	444
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	9	10	7	17	8	1	4
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	31	22	10	57	41	26	16
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	18	3	7	13	6	3	1
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	21	17	13	40	13	7	3
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	3	2	1	1	—	—	1
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	56	25	18	61	33	6	19
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	834	607	438	1 317	901	535	615
number..	46 305	41 824	36 346	169 870	177 306	225 255	869 003
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	33	30	17	32	18	4	2
10 to 49 .....	441	246	161	281	126	25	8
50 to 99 .....	282	226	142	398	175	59	25
100 to 199 .....	59	84	93	427	249	85	55
200 to 499 .....	16	14	20	145	273	235	140
500 or more .....	3	7	5	34	60	127	385
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	791	562	403	1 232	861	514
number..	31 009	27 227	21 645	110 418	117 297	146 655	564 576
Beef cows .....	farms..	771	544	393	1 188	825	495
number..	25 137	21 693	18 715	80 888	94 301	113 673	518 057
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	90	55	28	58	26	6	2
10 to 49 .....	517	320	212	413	181	54	18
50 to 99 .....	152	143	113	441	207	59	34
100 to 199 .....	12	24	37	237	275	116	65
200 to 499 .....	—	2	3	38	133	227	182
500 or more .....	—	—	—	1	3	33	293
Milk cows .....	farms..	38	25	16	70	50	30
number..	5 872	5 534	2 930	29 530	22 996	32 982	46 519
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....	8	3	4	12	6	1	7
5 to 9 .....	—	—	1	1	3	—	—
10 to 49 .....	7	6	2	6	1	3	—
50 to 99 .....	5	5	1	6	3	1	—
100 to 199 .....	5	1	2	3	2	1	—
200 to 499 .....	11	5	5	18	13	1	1
500 or more .....	2	5	1	24	22	23	15
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	666	476	348	1 082	734	448	561
number..	9 072	7 818	8 284	34 565	33 830	49 172	173 911
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	731	548	403	1 192	818	493
number..	6 224	6 779	6 417	24 887	26 179	29 428	130 516

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Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	14 600	936	4 755	1 108	1 355
number..		869 219	9 997	43 077	14 738	22 297
\$1,000..		301 660	3 133	13 874	4 564	6 632
Calves .....	farms..	12 649	721	3 983	970	1 201
number..		572 171	6 658	30 281	11 200	17 010
\$1,000..		150 127	1 608	7 429	2 821	4 125
Cattle .....	farms..	7 390	470	2 340	527	671
number..		297 048	3 339	12 796	3 538	5 287
\$1,000..		151 533	1 525	6 445	1 743	2 507
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	578	88	225	35	45
number..		5 922	272	1 218	128	399
\$1,000..		3 955	178	814	81	287
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	1 431	318	579	106	98
number..		50 309	5 324	9 971	4 439	3 746
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....		1 118	253	502	88	79
25 to 49 .....		132	44	40	10	7
50 to 99 .....		80	14	15	4	7
100 to 199 .....		53	4	14	3	1
200 to 499 .....		33	3	7	—	3
500 or more .....		15	—	1	1	1
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	802	162	307	60	60
number..		9 062	1 013	1 835	636	1 035
Other .....	farms..	1 303	296	520	92	91
number..		41 247	4 311	8 136	3 803	2 711
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	971	208	357	70	67
number..		96 512	7 031	18 284	8 300	10 021
\$1,000..		7 997	714	1 537	799	520
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	189	38	73	24	10
number..		36 635	1 313	6 534	3 046	(D)
\$1,000..		1 394	55	277	116	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	857	181	326	64	63
number..		12 427	1 217	2 255	1 110	1 598
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	766	163	293	58	53
number..		6 389	617	1 197	597	803
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	651	128	241	51	48
number..		6 038	600	1 058	513	795
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	336	71	137	30	24
number..		5 722	523	1 387	680	557
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	209	38	90	18	16
number..		2 512	254	657	412	356
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	187	34	65	16	15
number..		4 071	467	1 028	361	297
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	121	22	45	13	11
number..		2 611	257	732	385	280
pounds of wool..		13 992	1 318	3 942	1 704	2 040
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	6 791	1 034	2 720	425	445
number..		54 878	6 244	19 119	4 268	3 420
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	1 720	378	827	121	87
number..		8 235	917	2 958	1 451	454
Goats inventory .....	farms..	1 287	318	586	84	78
number..		24 209	3 664	9 268	1 414	832
Goats sold .....	farms..	574	153	272	22	33
number..		13 122	2 103	3 910	623	305
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	1 203	324	583	64	77
number..		12 605 047	336 390	5 166 941	166 418	421 322
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....		1 104	313	547	56	66
400 to 3,199 .....		4	—	3	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		10	4	3	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		22	1	4	3	5
20,000 to 49,999 .....		33	4	15	5	3
50,000 to 99,999 .....		14	2	5	—	1
100,000 or more .....		16	—	6	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	1 157	314	566	59	75
number..		11 608 529	334 897	4 880 999	94 237	311 178
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	237	74	100	12	16
number..		996 518	1 493	285 942	72 181	110 144
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	267	76	114	13	16
number..		8 180 675	740 656	2 984 972	489 737	456 912
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	321	29	119	26	34
number..		105 967 210	2 551 050	37 565 070	10 185 051	11 360 194
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....		45	19	20	2	1
2,000 to 59,999 .....		10	—	5	2	2
60,000 to 99,999 .....		22	2	12	—	6
100,000 or more .....		244	8	82	22	27
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	165	51	76	8	12
number..		732	228	339	32	31
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	52	21	24	1	2
number..		783	191	371	(D)	(D)

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	821	601	437	1 337	908	541
number..		25 617	21 030	19 463	78 328	81 295	103 107
\$1,000..		8 179	6 081	6 703	25 742	26 950	31 871
Calves .....	farms..	744	545	390	1 193	809	482
number..		16 206	15 620	14 374	53 183	57 210	68 024
\$1,000..		3 884	3 688	3 886	12 987	14 731	15 571
Cattle .....	farms..	407	297	237	709	469	300
number..		9 411	5 410	5 089	25 145	24 085	35 083
\$1,000..		4 295	2 393	2 817	12 755	12 219	16 300
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	23	21	15	48	20	14
number..		193	246	228	1 020	358	497
\$1,000..		124	165	164	742	235	215
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	51	29	27	72	31	28
number..		2 892	1 855	1 421	6 934	5 521	4 289
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		32	15	15	38	14	18
25 to 49 .....		4	6	2	8	3	1
50 to 99 .....		4	2	4	9	5	4
100 to 199 .....		6	3	5	6	4	1
200 to 499 .....		4	2	1	9	1	2
500 or more .....		1	1	—	2	4	2
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	30	20	19	49	21	18
number..		360	342	216	1 119	1 063	538
Other .....	farms..	46	27	27	65	29	24
number..		2 532	1 513	1 205	5 815	4 458	3 751
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	38	22	24	62	26	26
number..		3 535	2 997	2 423	15 756	12 992	6 146
\$1,000..		399	227	264	1 324	913	619
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	3	4	3	10	7	3
number..		(D)	(D)	150	(D)	(D)	80
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	2	(D)	(D)	2
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	33	21	19	52	22	20
number..		379	488	341	1 508	1 635	751
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	27	17	16	48	22	20
number..		201	271	172	744	815	381
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	27	17	15	45	20	17
number..		178	217	169	764	820	370
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	5	13	9	12	4	5
number..		115	309	218	443	86	233
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	5	6	7	7	2	1
number..		61	100	59	140	(D)	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	6	6	8	10	4	5
number..		120	109	138	251	81	89
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	3	2	5	2	2	1
number..		52	(D)	55	124	(D)	(D)
pounds of wool..		314	(D)	295	545	(D)	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	247	180	120	429	311	203
number..		2 363	1 212	1 224	4 975	3 752	1 794
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	50	19	21	65	37	17
number..		394	49	124	468	529	244
Goats inventory .....	farms..	31	27	23	31	16	12
number..		1 070	574	375	4 512	362	365
Goats sold .....	farms..	13	10	12	14	2	5
number..		247	221	130	4 449	(D)	(D)
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	24	11	7	39	15	7
number..		(D)	(D)	(D)	1 542 128	(D)	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		23	10	6	27	9	3
400 to 3,199 .....		—	—	—	—	1	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		—	—	—	3	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	1	2	1
20,000 to 49,999 .....		—	—	1	3	1	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	3	1	1
100,000 or more .....		1	1	—	2	1	1
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	21	11	7	32	15	6
number..		(D)	(D)	(D)	1 338 070	291 217	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	9	1	1	15	1	2
number..		(D)	(D)	(D)	204 058	(D)	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	6	1	3	16	5	6
number..		(D)	(D)	(D)	1 450 224	596 040	911 602
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	18	16	13	26	9	5
number..		7 678 049	8 571 000	3 992 025	9 823 559	3 181 000	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		—	—	—	1	—	1
2,000 to 59,999 .....		—	—	—	—	1	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	1	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		18	15	13	25	9	4
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	5	2	—	6	—	1
number..		15	(D)	—	64	—	(D)
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	1	—	—	2	—	1
number..		(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	27	237	98	128
acres..		69 623	71	2 506	1 555	3 026
bushels..		5 440 956	4 405	152 836	96 208	189 283
Irrigated .....	farms..	167	16	18	1	1
acres..		14 593	(D)	200	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		638	27	211	80	78
25 to 99 acres .....		404	—	26	18	50
100 to 249 acres .....		179	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		36	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		11	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	4	18	1	14
acres..		6 881	(D)	131	(D)	304
pounds..		16 191 980	(D)	312 784	(D)	435 050
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	—	3	—	6
acres..		5 559	—	41	—	261
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	1	—	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	1	2	1	2
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	—	5	—	2
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	—	1	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	2	7	—	4
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	—	1	—	3
25.0 acres or more .....		102	—	2	—	4
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	2	21	15	41
acres..		41 021	(D)	402	(D)	1 051
bushels..		1 025 521	(D)	7 827	7 827	20 295
Irrigated .....	farms..	30	2	—	—	1
acres..		2 317	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		79	2	16	10	21
25 to 99 acres .....		184	—	5	5	20
100 to 249 acres .....		106	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		25	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		10	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	10	24	8	7
acres..		41 255	5	240	154	(D)
cwt..		8 815 285	830	50 117	28 634	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	116	6	15	5	3
acres..		39 690	1	222	96	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	10	14	3	5
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	—	6	3	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	—	4	2	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	—	—	—	1
250.0 acres or more .....		58	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	3	18	5	8
acres..		421 421	4	157	114	254
tons..		15 718 897	(D)	5 829	4 234	8 449
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	—	7	1	2
acres..		389 800	—	84	(D)	(D)
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	5	60	25	56
acres..		76 682	23	640	470	1 013
pounds..		209 914 666	42 238	1 576 010	1 073 683	1 996 568
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	1	6	2	2
acres..		15 184	(D)	25	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		254	5	53	18	43
25 to 99 acres .....		285	—	7	7	13
100 to 249 acres .....		144	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		39	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		28	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	4 798	94	1 068	364	511
acres..		265 985	374	13 951	7 496	12 561
tons, dry..		697 410	833	32 879	16 762	30 582
Irrigated .....	farms..	254	18	55	9	13
acres..		19 727	38	394	104	247
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	94	950	246	319
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	—	118	118	192
100 to 249 acres .....		480	—	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		127	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		54	—	—	—	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	1 500	194	403	83	99
acres..		250 562	673	3 895	2 033	2 903
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	134	243	56	58
acres..		221 516	435	2 394	1 584	2 138
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	142	165	22	18
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	52	199	30	38
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	—	39	30	30
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	—	—	1	2
250.0 acres or more .....		201	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms.. acres.. bushels..	98 3 542 259 365	58 2 306 154 841	60 3 437 293 984	215 13 980 1 010 979	130 15 101 1 303 415	69 12 559 1 058 871
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	6 268	5 216	9 935	30 2 041	41 5 255	22 3 137
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		49	26	20	54	16	7
25 to 99 acres .....		38	25	27	104	47	21
100 to 249 acres .....		11	7	13	53	51	24
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	4	15	12
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	1	5
Tobacco .....	farms.. acres.. pounds..	12 365 797 128	9 131 309 408	12 309 746 716	44 1 574 3 904 635	37 1 856 4 481 963	18 1 366 3 328 106
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	4 143	5 66	8 247	33 1 319	29 1 502	15 1 233
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		—	1	—	—	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		—	—	—	1	—	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		1	—	—	—	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		1	2	—	—	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		2	3	1	4	4	1
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		1	—	5	13	5	—
25.0 acres or more .....		7	3	6	26	28	18
Soybeans for beans .....	farms.. acres.. bushels..	30 1 558 36 893	29 1 692 47 729	13 649 14 611	86 8 009 214 503	75 8 963 237 709	42 10 354 260 795
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres.. (D)	2 (D)	1 (D)	2 (D)	6 560	6 425	8 940
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		7	3	3	3	7	1
25 to 99 acres .....		19	22	8	45	26	7
100 to 249 acres .....		4	4	2	37	33	17
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	1	9	13
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	4
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms.. acres.. cwt..	1 (D) 95 500	3 550 160 854	7 721 938 906	17 4 573 3 255 105	32 14 530 237 709	14 11 794 2 294 094
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres.. (D)	2 — 550	1 3 721	2 7 4 573	6 31 13 709	8 14 11 794	2 10 7 774
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		—	—	2	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		—	—	1	1	1	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		1	3	3	7	4	1
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	9	27	13
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms.. acres.. tons..	7 814 32 726	3 349 (D)	8 902 27 390	18 3 056 110 491	18 8 785 303 306	10 10 922 415 808
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	6 811	3 3 619	7 3 2 096	15 9 8 040	14 15 9 995	45 9 367 278
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms.. acres.. pounds..	70 2 403 6 158 816	44 1 532 3 448 955	37 1 600 3 513 692	150 10 491 26 678 800	131 16 625 43 812 079	80 18 017 51 142 015
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	11 522	6 252	4 140	21 1 412	25 2 344	44 67 697 231
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		33	20	12	22	12	4
25 to 99 acres .....		33	24	22	91	45	16
100 to 249 acres .....		4	—	3	36	66	28
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	1	4	25
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	4	9
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms.. acres.. tons, dry..	356 13 501 34 723	261 11 369 26 653	173 8 576 22 787	632 42 472 108 307	407 45 429 128 819	232 37 144 100 602
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	9 563	9 351	7 400	31 2 287	33 3 075	31 32 4 178
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		163	94	73	153	65	15
25 to 99 acres .....		165	140	76	356	190	90
100 to 249 acres .....		28	27	21	100	110	88
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	3	23	31	25
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	11	14
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms.. acres..	62 3 470	42 2 998	45 3 515	174 29 258	132 38 222	91 51 064
Irrigated .....	farms.. acres..	37 2 647	30 2 682	29 2 985	139 27 770	104 33 026	86 48 084
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		14	1	5	9	7	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		15	8	14	37	12	8
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		20	22	14	47	37	21
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		12	11	7	33	23	19
250.0 acres or more .....		1	—	5	48	53	22

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**Table 49. Summary by Size of Farm: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	1 to 9 acres	10 to 49 acres	50 to 69 acres	70 to 99 acres	100 to 139 acres
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>						
Con.						
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—						
Con.						
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	41	88	15	26
acres..		30 275	75	496	112	264
Irrigated .....	farms..	192	24	47	15	15
acres..		27 908	39	298	112	193
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	319	49	116	20	25
acres..		43 595	90	491	73	110
Irrigated .....	farms..	169	24	54	11	7
acres..		31 165	38	234	58	65
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	192	17	43	10	6
acres..		39 900	12	155	90	178
Irrigated .....	farms..	174	15	34	10	6
acres..		39 384	11	147	90	178
Land in orchards.....	farms..	9 379	2 174	3 818	620	614
acres..		981 910	7 880	60 873	22 898	29 015
Irrigated .....	farms..	6 650	1 423	2 632	469	455
acres..		895 071	5 131	44 827	18 606	24 982
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		2 300	1 473	555	59	63
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		3 770	701	2 443	142	122
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		2 167	—	820	419	429
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		574	—	—	—	170
250.0 acres or more .....		568	—	—	—	—
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	7 676	1 576	3 162	543	514
Bearing and nonbearing .....	acres..	959 364	5 773	53 510	21 678	26 989
						376
						24 577

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Item	140 to 179 acres	180 to 219 acres	220 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 to 1,999 acres	2,000 acres or more
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>							
Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—							
Con.							
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	10	—	13	31	22	17
acres..	695	—		1 186	6 835	6 720	8 856
Irrigated .....	farms..	5	—	7	28	18	15
acres..	465	—		990	6 739	5 503	8 609
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	8	1	7	22	20	13
acres..	71	(D)		(D)	1 862	5 522	6 151
Irrigated .....	farms..	3	—	1	14	15	11
acres..	42	—		(D)	1 759	4 491	5 526
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	6	9	5	21	25	18
acres..	384	560		257	4 327	6 523	5 282
Irrigated .....	farms..	6	8	5	19	22	18
acres..	384	559		257	4 294	6 499	5 282
Land in orchards.....	farms..	268	193	137	417	265	179
Irrigated .....	farms..	20 643	21 169	16 013	69 771	90 296	120 059
acres..	208	141	101	327	209	154	154
Irrigated .....	farms..	17 627	18 340	13 714	64 119	81 350	114 079
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		30	14	9	29	12	2
acres..		43	37	24	75	44	16
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		89	37	32	83	34	30
acres..		106	105	57	81	42	18
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		—	—	15	149	133	113
acres..							158
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	230	163	118	363	233	171
Bearing and nonbearing .....	acres..	19 987	20 588	14 884	66 656	88 324	119 835
							227
							496 564

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	34 799	1 091	837	1 061	2 188	2 188	847
number..	34 799	1 091	837	1 061	2 188	2 188	847
percent..	100.0	3.1	2.4	3.0	6.3	6.3	2.4
Land in farms .....	10 454 217	3 290 943	1 004 547	885 694	1 322 059	781 019	185 662
acres..	300	3 016	1 200	835	604	357	219
Average size of farm .....							
acres..							
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	34 799	1 091	837	1 061	2 188	2 188
\$1,000..	6 004 554	4 332 177	580 608	370 257	342 705	154 221	847
Average per farm .....	dollars..	172 550	3 970 832	693 677	348 969	156 629	37 386
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		6 759	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		4 771	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		4 405	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		4 122	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		3 560	—	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 012	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 958	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		847	—	—	—	—	847
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		2 188	—	—	—	2 188	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		2 188	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		1 061	—	—	1 061	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		837	—	837	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		657	657	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		232	232	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		202	202	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	43	54	79	168	121
\$1,000..	27 613	6 834	3 141	4 310	5 923	2 869	634
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	133	18	19	35	40	21
\$1,000..	17 307	6 313	2 482	3 495	3 674	1 343	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	27	43	56	116	93
\$1,000..	12 985	1 694	1 603	2 202	2 784	1 615	437
Wheat .....	farms..	185	7	16	24	50	27
\$1,000..	1 991	166	290	423	732	208	27
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	12	22	37	90	62
\$1,000..	6 798	412	1 081	1 278	2 066	838	155
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	—	1	—	5	2
\$1,000..	116	—	(D)	—	19	(D)	(D)
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	57	—	4	8	10	10
\$1,000..	369	—	(D)	144	39	(D)	4
Other grains .....	farms..	84	13	6	12	16	7
\$1,000..	5 354	4 562	79	263	283	92	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	15	34	65	103	44
\$1,000..	42 478	5 981	12 156	12 036	9 381	1 760	351
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	200	14	34	58	79	15
\$1,000..	39 438	(D)	12 156	11 799	8 601	(D)	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	6	15	42	52	28
\$1,000..	25 595	2 535	4 247	10 844	6 088	(D)	152
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	126	6	15	41	50	14
\$1,000..	24 528	2 535	4 247	(D)	(D)	906	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	57	51	73	158	170
\$1,000..	27 263	3 929	1 123	(D)	5 574	3 606	1 089
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	104	11	5	20	38	30
\$1,000..	13 518	3 308	554	3 281	4 358	2 017	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 1497	210	109	117	183	171
\$1,000..	1 083 921	971 014	51 358	24 622	19 355	8 049	2 097
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	633	205	101	97	143	87
\$1,000..	1 070 203	970 845	51 120	24 239	18 240	5 759	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	347	195	321	705	772
\$1,000..	1 449 470	1 082 205	109 491	95 165	97 482	49 030	314
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 117	331	174	298	640	674
\$1,000..	1 429 633	1 081 933	109 129	94 824	96 636	47 112	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	327	268	347	709	610
\$1,000..	1 449 951	972 616	176 837	113 247	104 996	41 480	9 579
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 182	323	263	335	688	573
\$1,000..	1 407 414	972 537	176 768	112 995	104 644	40 470	—
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	120	94	104	189	162
\$1,000..	666 971	587 159	38 351	17 261	14 576	5 532	858
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	449	116	86	85	124	38
\$1,000..	657 657	587 085	38 119	16 768	13 034	2 652	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	66	141	86	65	44
\$1,000..	348 000	209 149	95 276	29 716	10 474	2 129	141
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	385	66	141	85	64	29
\$1,000..	346 702	209 149	95 276	(D)	(D)	2 088	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	115	51	38	28	27
\$1,000..	382 431	329 766	33 037	12 416	4 536	1 624	331
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	250	114	50	38	28	20
\$1,000..	381 084	(D)	12 416	4 536	1 393	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	292	249	313	641	652
\$1,000..	301 660	100 863	35 180	29 989	41 034	25 252	5 680
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	961	188	93	113	278	289
\$1,000..	215 179	98 843	33 096	26 828	36 288	20 125	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000	
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>								
Farms .....	1 958	1 012	3 560	4 122	4 405	4 771	6 759	
number..	5.6	2.9	10.2	11.8	12.7	13.7	19.4	
percent..								
Land in farms .....	417 937	267 410	626 227	478 505	355 544	245 774	592 876	
acres..	213	264	176	116	81	52	88	
Average size of farm .....								
acres..								
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>								
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	1 958	1 012	3 560	4 122	4 405	4 771	6 759
\$1,000..		60 997	22 268	50 037	28 972	15 592	7 849	1 486
Average per farm .....	dollars..	31 153	22 004	14 055	7 029	3 540	1 645	220
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	6 759
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		—	—	—	—	—	4 771	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		—	—	—	—	4 405	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		—	—	—	4 122	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		—	—	3 560	—	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		—	1 012	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 958	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	farms..	109	40	161	141	90	90	48
\$1,000..		1 550	459	970	558	211	125	30
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	79	28	118	113	65	78	45
\$1,000..		1 027	300	612	434	141	107	28
Wheat .....	farms..	12	5	19	13	5	1	—
\$1,000..		49	12	59	18	(D)	(D)	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	43	17	48	27	17	8	1
\$1,000..		428	129	272	76	51	(D)	(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	1	2	5	7	2	3	1
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	16	21	(D)	4	(D)
Other grains .....	farms..	7	2	6	5	5	1	1
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	(D)	9	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	15	11	29	9	—	4	—
\$1,000..		293	(D)	322	48	—	(D)	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	8	2	10	12	5	1	—
\$1,000..		172	(D)	113	(D)	12	(D)	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	174	96	352	398	326	237	82
\$1,000..		2 066	(D)	2 303	1 647	766	329	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	120	53	189	152	77	41	13
\$1,000..		2 997	977	2 256	888	250	53	5
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	696	336	979	857	805	641	616
\$1,000..		19 404	6 630	12 261	5 324	2 601	993	260
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	445	197	613	580	342	377	80
\$1,000..		13 192	4 090	8 212	3 943	1 133	580	46
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	farms..	85	38	129	61	30	26	8
\$1,000..		1 467	403	1 014	246	69	30	5
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	37	10	51	81	108	128	119
\$1,000..		468	80	227	142	101	74	23
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	17	7	13	1	—	1	1
\$1,000..		461	113	148	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	670	430	1 594	2 188	2 687	3 052	1 585
\$1,000..		12 716	6 315	17 352	12 935	8 601	4 809	935
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	971	6	8	15	33	47
\$1,000..		7 997	253	(D)	1 341	1 763	729
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	25	2	2	5	11	5
\$1,000..		3 922	(D)	(D)	1 251	1 453	327
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	209	—	2	2	5	8
\$1,000..		288	—	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	1
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3 287	39	47	61	192	194
\$1,000..		146 917	59 875	19 649	15 475	21 505	10 764
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	405	26	33	48	146	152
\$1,000..		126 258	59 795	19 598	15 415	21 235	10 214
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 954	38	16	37	78	84
\$1,000..		12 547	2 678	953	1 737	2 135	884
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	34 785	1 090	836	897	2 245	2 281
\$1,000..		4 384 423	3 081 324	434 393	227 080	260 125	116 459
Average per farm .....	dollars..	126 043	2 826 903	519 609	253 155	115 869	51 056
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	279	286	214	504	457
\$1,000..		145 770	86 675	22 645	8 260	9 937	4 310
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 655	20	25	35	113	204
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 298	41	31	73	254	229
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		498	50	175	89	134	24
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	92	43	13	1	—
\$250,000 or more .....		95	76	12	4	2	—
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	333	336	311	751	742
\$1,000..		446 861	293 322	81 841	21 889	16 101	9 230
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		12 068	37	36	86	223	323
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 724	34	39	56	328	302
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		490	41	52	86	170	115
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		163	29	41	61	30	1
\$250,000 or more .....		384	192	168	22	—	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	8 725	270	293	225	492	499
\$1,000..		333 773	214 284	73 831	17 101	11 552	5 836
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 060	29	25	70	177	230
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		856	29	28	37	164	200
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		341	28	53	51	124	67
\$100,000 or more .....		468	184	187	67	27	2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	9 902	739	491	516	1 310	957
\$1,000..		217 919	161 784	21 627	11 689	12 848	5 266
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....		5 201	32	53	72	164	245
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 235	74	80	93	480	383
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 462	165	148	209	508	304
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		409	86	72	81	145	25
\$50,000 or more .....		595	382	138	61	13	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	969	674	773	1 933	1 878
\$1,000..		347 559	237 546	24 018	18 233	24 928	12 270
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		17 517	77	138	170	574	928
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 971	137	180	325	1 081	906
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		784	125	182	182	224	43
\$50,000 or more .....		963	630	174	96	54	1
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	903	593	738	1 870	1 755
\$1,000..		350 556	257 544	23 805	17 067	20 836	12 049
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		13 342	85	141	204	787	1 023
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2 913	121	152	283	838	679
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		647	94	108	156	220	44
\$50,000 or more .....		939	603	192	95	25	9
Petroleum products .....	farms..	29 619	1 079	819	863	2 118	2 074
\$1,000..		131 636	75 606	12 314	8 847	12 905	5 761
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		25 775	68	153	298	1 156	1 710
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 008	394	530	513	935	362
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		459	271	117	42	26	1
\$50,000 or more .....		377	346	19	10	1	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	20 205	960	684	704	1 563	1 430
\$1,000..		50 229	28 040	4 409	3 064	4 778	2 222
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	21 549	956	731	723	1 736	1 662
\$1,000..		60 717	36 544	5 392	3 911	5 769	2 514
Natural gas .....	farms..	394	52	35	17	58	36
\$1,000..		2 120	1 509	228	64	116	93
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	18 420	1 044	790	815	2 021	1 807
\$1,000..		18 570	9 513	2 285	1 807	2 242	933

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	52	37	115	180	185	175
\$1,000..		608	(D)	741	606	384	186
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	12	5	19	39	32	44
\$1,000..		29	4	34	53	25	28
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	223	107	426	520	569	537
\$1,000..		5 574	1 784	4 084	2 510	1 439	633
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	126	48	238	322	316	314
\$1,000..		880	280	845	814	469	292
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	1 931	936	3 638	4 243	4 296	4 554
\$1,000..		45 367	19 490	49 099	36 287	26 134	21 145
Average per farm .....	dollars..	23 494	20 822	13 496	8 552	6 083	4 643
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	374	196	871	778	828	944
\$1,000..		1 827	952	3 365	1 818	1 445	1 170
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		262	142	648	678	784	905
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		110	54	213	100	43	39
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		2	—	9	—	1	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	1	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	1
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	739	359	1 823	1 851	2 241	2 514
\$1,000..		3 060	1 753	5 553	3 466	2 903	2 453
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		561	258	1 422	1 779	2 228	2 500
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		176	95	401	72	13	14
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		2	5	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....		—	1	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	443	186	929	1 033	1 247	1 468
\$1,000..		1 433	551	2 228	1 536	1 247	1 123
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		372	160	775	998	1 236	1 461
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		71	26	154	35	11	7
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	39
\$100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	737	265	1 059	1 025	886	779
\$1,000..		1 175	362	1 114	633	283	184
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....		397	130	696	839	864	758
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		292	121	342	176	22	21
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		48	14	20	10	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	1 575	773	2 676	2 834	2 655	2 285
\$1,000..		5 764	2 719	5 752	4 246	2 652	1 816
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 184	608	2 435	2 715	2 623	2 258
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		384	156	240	118	32	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		3	9	1	1	—	6
\$50,000 or more .....		4	—	—	—	—	1
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	1 420	643	2 087	1 920	1 614	1 308
\$1,000..		4 670	1 769	3 317	2 105	978	809
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 155	523	1 953	1 871	1 603	1 276
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		248	119	133	49	11	32
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		13	—	—	—	—	9
\$50,000 or more .....		4	1	1	—	—	1
Petroleum products .....	farms..	1 709	713	3 276	3 859	3 944	3 973
\$1,000..		2 291	864	3 187	2 568	1 885	1 403
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		1 639	693	3 243	3 856	3 942	3 971
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		70	19	32	3	2	4 420
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		—	1	1	—	—	6
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	1 107	483	2 142	2 698	2 638	2 340
\$1,000..		979	419	1 457	1 304	921	1 180
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	1 270	546	2 454	2 575	2 685	2 778
\$1,000..		992	353	1 401	940	765	556
Natural gas .....	farms..	19	14	25	33	35	4
\$1,000..		6	4	9	20	22	12
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	1 248	443	2 153	2 184	1 854	1 478
\$1,000..		315	89	321	304	176	1 956

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	1 033 31 648	781 5 612	772 3 457	1 821 4 629	1 727 2 382	585 569
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	52	72	154	498	874	377
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	195	283	388	1 051	786	203
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	501	409	222	264	66	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	158	14	7	8	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	133	127	3	1	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	1 043 702 413	758 90 947	809 50 195	1 860 52 021	1 256 13 851	455 3 690
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	15	38	47	246	525	219
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	28	73	147	754	600	222
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	103	302	460	827	130	14
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	283	247	152	33	1	—
\$250,000 or more .....	716	614	98	3	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	6 515 50 085	1 001 33 144	677 5 708	723 3 627	1 469 3 876	767 1 428	243 332
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	10 419 74 884	757 40 093	569 6 657	589 4 796	1 372 6 285	1 009 3 213	390 1 000
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 481 477 373	646 370 607	404 37 994	430 19 743	1 002 24 530	830 10 959	417 3 062
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	2	8	34	66	39	60
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	27	50	65	226	285	131
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	87	106	99	337	327	226
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	49	40	53	183	178	—
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	481	200	179	190	1	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	24 621 195 760	1 062 117 328	808 16 553	814 10 981	2 002 16 145	1 828 7 153	669 2 324
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	36	128	221	827	1 289	517
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	229	435	504	1 093	531	147
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	245	182	72	72	8	5
\$50,000 or more .....	651	552	63	17	10	—	—
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 081 99 207	597 68 260	387 7 626	388 6 571	832 6 884	779 4 036	248 724
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	14	63	36	117	214	113
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	117	126	140	400	311	78
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	190	136	139	243	223	57
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	92	22	29	38	31	—
\$50,000 or more .....	302	184	40	44	34	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	964 163 008	710 22 847	595 12 749	1 185 13 016	998 6 278	321 1 853
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	83	129	127	465	592	199
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	195	288	291	607	390	122
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	373	254	169	111	16	—
\$100,000 or more .....	363	313	39	8	2	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 671 175 286	683 117 940	548 16 477	460 9 985	818 8 870	714 5 026	253 1 649
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	7	8	16	44	40	17
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	31	84	67	288	315	137
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	127	244	243	408	346	99
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	128	125	68	51	13	—
\$50,000 or more .....	571	390	87	66	27	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 034 62 250	560 45 068	387 6 370	263 2 764	568 4 145	439 1 252	113 204
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	20	45	38	80	153	50
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	76	98	87	243	208	57
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	199	167	103	210	77	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	102	47	25	35	1	—
\$50,000 or more .....	204	163	30	10	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 277 56 025	355 35 845	253 6 044	251 3 985	558 4 302	434 2 316	135 269
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	61	78	87	309	302	129
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	30	36	48	97	70	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	62	53	57	130	50	2
\$25,000 or more .....	383	202	86	59	22	12	—
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	32 866 136 457	1 007 69 938	784 8 355	837 6 175	2 134 9 938	2 149 7 051	801 2 156
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	194	387	462	1 505	1 738	705
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	144	156	205	398	291	69
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	232	156	122	211	101	16
\$25,000 or more .....	648	437	85	48	20	19	11
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 438 561 134	1 086 409 800	833 52 164	896 27 241	2 243 31 106	2 280 13 548	846 2 915
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	23	71	160	766	1 257	647
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	91	204	336	1 122	976	199
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	112	155	227	269	39	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	159	241	139	81	6	—
\$100,000 or more .....	905	701	162	34	5	2	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 359	714	2 411	2 739	2 481	2 283	2 697
1 125	541	1 289	1 108	909	684	1 069	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 023	546	2 084	2 472	2 321	2 166	2 443
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	329	160	326	267	150	116	251
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	6	7	1	—	10	1	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	767	393	1 181	1 120	828	655	1 074
3 882	1 690	2 515	2 027	693	501	1 183	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	518	293	1 023	1 061	826	643	1 049
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	231	98	155	51	—	12	10
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	17	—	3	7	2	—	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	1	1	—	1	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	281	146	337	247	202	153	269
376	240	394	289	208	153	310	
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	670	361	1 106	1 086	808	639	1 063
2 148	960	2 235	2 416	1 847	1 292	1 942	
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	702	259	689	666	580	270	586
4 397	1 118	2 314	1 069	652	225	704	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	112	60	162	243	285	175	366
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	277	104	364	407	294	95	205
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	312	95	163	15	1	—	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 452	664	2 793	3 067	2 968	2 711	3 783
3 617	1 351	4 745	4 254	3 707	2 597	5 005	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 219	619	2 608	2 911	2 861	2 631	3 623
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	222	43	185	155	107	80	146
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	9	—	—	1	—	—	9
\$50,000 or more .....	2	2	—	—	—	—	5
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	572	225	830	676	568	405	574
1 569	504	1 118	717	337	323	538	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	186	80	477	448	466	308	417
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	292	118	317	226	102	97	148
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	94	27	36	2	—	—	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	606	301	924	956	729	650	1 223
2 552	918	3 158	3 229	1 920	2 285	3 724	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	412	241	692	732	591	469	1 017
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	187	60	231	224	138	181	205
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	7	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	400	186	648	718	595	550	1 098
1 907	578	2 596	2 809	1 794	2 175	3 479	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	66	45	163	144	133	78	229
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	190	101	269	364	324	291	668
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	137	40	215	210	138	181	200
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	257	154	366	356	203	151	217
645	340	561	420	127	110	245	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	98	80	187	210	169	104	126
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	111	52	170	140	34	47	89
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	48	22	8	6	—	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	308	156	459	482	363	325	198
729	508	687	539	437	213	152	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	277	107	430	479	361	325	197
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	28	31	26	3	—	—	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	3	18	2	—	1	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 761	890	3 458	4 005	4 091	4 270	6 679
3 253	1 648	5 460	5 201	4 608	4 590	8 084	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 634	849	3 294	3 893	4 032	4 181	6 520
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	85	23	144	76	40	85	101
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	39	16	13	35	13	3	50
\$25,000 or more .....	3	2	7	1	6	1	8
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 931	929	3 638	3 559	3 266	3 184	4 747
5 455	2 794	5 525	3 307	2 724	1 892	2 662	
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 567	792	3 461	3 519	3 242	3 182	4 737
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	363	136	176	40	23	2	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	1	—	—	—	—

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	34 787	1 091	837	897	2 245	2 281
\$1,000..	1 573 154	1 250 853	146 215	86 944	85 687	44 876	6 885
Average per farm .....	dollars..	45 222	1 146 520	174 689	96 928	38 168	8 138
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	16 344	1 011	779	779	1 851	1 828
Average net gain .....	dollars..	107 434	1 275 598	198 121	123 140	53 231	30 098
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 351	—	1	6	11	34
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 250	4	11	23	130	95
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 267	25	78	125	846	1 187
\$50,000 or more .....		3 476	982	689	625	864	316
Farms with net losses .....	number..	18 443	80	58	118	394	453
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 909	484 710	140 025	76 119	32 599	22 393
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		3 024	1	1	2	17	17
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		12 083	1	6	15	120	222
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 970	16	18	49	187	158
\$50,000 or more .....		366	62	33	52	70	56
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	84	89	133	251	212
\$1,000..	11 074	1 182	854	1 257	1 600	671	202
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	168	134	152	414	425
\$1,000..	44 430	10 959	2 819	2 841	7 802	4 681	738
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	37	24	30	130	118
\$1,000..	17 039	2 616	1 304	610	4 798	1 868	597
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	39	22	33	93	94
\$1,000..	10 962	2 850	396	791	1 103	1 695	106
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	19	14	19	51	41
\$1,000..	9 654	3 466	379	653	713	397	24
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	110	95	101	205	195
\$1,000..	6 774	2 026	740	787	1 187	721	11
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	118	2	7	11	28	16
\$1,000..	1 936	(D)	893	161	662	67	(D)
Corn .....	farms..	62	1	4	4	12	9
\$1,000..	138	(D)	(D)	(D)	37	(D)	3
Wheat .....	farms..	15	1	—	2	7	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	11	(D)	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	—	—	—	5	1
\$1,000..	62	—	—	—	50	(D)	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	32	—	2	6	10	4
\$1,000..	808	—	(D)	99	354	22	(D)
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	1	4	1	6	3
\$1,000..	900	(D)	557	(D)	210	33	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	1 007	746	966	1 975	1 939
acres..	3 639 850	1 619 972	237 562	258 829	318 448	223 206	64 236
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	986	694	929	1 897	1 853
acres..	2 435 702	1 423 905	193 516	190 773	215 913	115 712	34 835
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	187	264	349	840	1 098
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	70	63	86	370	398
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	79	58	157	326	229
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	119	180	231	308	122
500 to 999 acres .....		458	211	93	89	49	6
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	160	28	13	2	2
2,000 acres or more .....		174	160	8	4	2	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	153	157	205	415	438
acres..	895 684	66 596	29 998	52 037	79 143	89 582	24 679
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	19	20	32	37	46
acres..	39 152	2 386	1 893	1 466	3 046	3 482	1 459
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	12	7	19	32	21
acres..	14 457	2 452	1 206	1 282	1 990	1 079	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	13	14	10	17	16
acres..	47 061	38 351	1 041	1 805	922	1 122	(D)
Idle .....	farms..	207 794	86 282	9 908	11 466	17 434	12 229
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	222	209	259	471	473
acres..	2 132 308	362 891	129 007	218 317	257 604	222 270	38 651
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	109	84	110	213	74
acres..	1 091 166	205 425	63 224	153 323	155 237	116 448	25 348
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	158	152	194	323	340
acres..	1 041 142	157 466	65 783	64 994	102 367	105 822	13 303

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	1 931	936	3 638	4 243	4 296	4 554
\$1,000..	15 164	958	1 789	-6 317	-10 966	-13 575	-35 360
Average per farm .....	dollars..	7 853	1 023	492	-1 489	-2 553	-2 981
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	1 485	635	2 242	2 283	1 623	1 036
Average net gain .....	dollars..	14 558	9 311	5 817	2 931	1 343	746
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		45	24	126	400	744	743
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		509	336	1 796	1 883	879	293
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		931	275	320	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses .....	number..	446	301	1 396	1 960	2 673	3 518
Average net loss .....	dollars..	14 473	16 461	8 060	6 637	4 918	4 078
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		45	6	150	305	470	680
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		199	162	905	1 245	1 938	2 510
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		190	131	319	401	256	325
\$50,000 or more .....		12	2	22	9	9	3
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	156	73	274	273	259	211
\$1,000..	362	251	554	491	463	335	2 853
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	288	131	517	583	623	410
\$1,000..	2 403	984	2 206	2 784	1 961	1 460	2 792
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	95	65	165	190	178	117
\$1,000..	1 273	805	810	1 212	568	568	193
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	64	17	157	184	214	132
\$1,000..	625	30	481	476	772	772	348
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	32	16	62	102	68	124
\$1,000..	288	104	609	973	380	812	182
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	112	47	223	154	204	81
\$1,000..	218	45	305	123	241	59	213
\$1,000..	218	45	305	123	241	59	310
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	6	8	17	7	4	2
\$1,000..	7	30	53	15	(D)	(D)	7
Corn .....	farms..	2	2	10	5	3	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	6	(D)	(Z)	(D)	6
Wheat .....	farms..	1	2	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	1	1	2	—	—	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	1	5	3	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	4	(D)	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	1	1	7	2	1	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	1 720	876	2 934	3 289	3 178	3 249
acres..	144 963	73 419	198 892	167 312	118 437	87 921	4 517
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	1 570	785	2 522	2 500	2 081	1 803
acres..	61 237	25 952	60 645	41 310	25 532	17 211	126 653
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....		1 188	628	2 163	2 343	2 015	1 765
50 to 99 acres .....		229	94	275	126	55	30
100 to 199 acres .....		121	49	71	27	10	18
200 to 499 acres .....		28	14	12	2	—	4
500 to 999 acres .....		4	—	1	2	1	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	500	289	1 054	1 516	1 687	1 856
acres..	75 675	43 956	120 617	110 753	83 184	60 669	1 950
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	42	12	79	86	76	96
acres..	1 605	327	1 993	3 759	1 909	2 142	205
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	30	10	63	51	29	27
acres..	580	(D)	1 681	2 042	442	308	63
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	16	7	31	25	29	31
acres..	326	(D)	789	526	438	545	965
Idle .....	farms..	175	65	310	304	269	285
acres..	5 540	3 069	13 167	8 922	6 932	7 046	554
Total woodland .....	farms..	473	269	952	1 151	1 174	1 225
acres..	94 009	65 126	173 539	162 523	103 451	74 087	1 837
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	220	145	450	588	635	642
acres..	47 720	32 911	90 172	84 237	45 614	32 327	670
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	334	182	631	729	722	765
acres..	46 289	32 215	83 367	78 286	57 837	41 760	1 378
							191 653

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	8 495 4 069 927	265 1 097 849	190 606 633	233 363 299	475 696 139	425 297 602	164 72 615
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	18 528 612 132	674 210 231	513 31 345	665 45 249	1 234 49 868	1 117 37 941	385 10 180
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	12 673 1 862 404	892 1 343 798	568 129 355	746 103 182	1 458 112 141	1 333 62 657	495 16 174
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	12 202 1 729 449	883 1 270 673	562 120 087	742 97 939	1 432 98 689	1 310 49 332	488 14 591
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	745 132 955	36 73 125	19 9 268	16 5 243	52 13 452	53 13 325	13 1 583
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	1 624 125 878	20 1 795	36 2 799	38 5 317	89 8 330	68 5 509	30 2 332
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 787 23 047 695	1 091 8 930 433	837 1 543 656	897 1 426 211	2 245 2 299 156	2 281 1 513 541	846 383 360
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	8 185 548	1 844 272	1 589 979	1 024 123	663 543	453 144
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	2 714	1 537	1 706	1 743	1 943	2 117
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3 876	2	10	7	50	85	30
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	3 559	2	6	8	39	160	72
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 014	2	13	15	67	98	54
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	4 566	11	18	27	192	138	101
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 577	7	21	35	168	196	73
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	9 404	70	210	281	734	854	319
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3 411	138	216	199	507	457	129
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	1 611	228	153	178	212	178	51
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 138	299	125	96	203	73	8
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	332	65	51	73	42	9
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 786 1 421 654	1 091 438 218	837 128 140	897 91 207	2 245 169 731	2 281 92 978	846 21 355
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 239	11	19	14	95	183	183
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7 040	20	34	44	160	265	126
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7 275	32	56	89	256	416	157
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	8 371	155	173	237	698	754	237
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 203	189	197	207	554	413	117
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 683	216	181	186	358	221	22
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	685	262	136	101	100	29	4
\$500,000 or more .....	290	206	41	19	24	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	27 590 54 030	1 089 9 978	831 3 524	889 2 845	2 189 5 931	1 934 3 592	648 1 047
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	28 305 51 110	992 7 086	746 2 502	775 2 347	1 835 4 326	1 690 3 349	662 1 168
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 078	517	435	467	1 049	927	370
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	20 900	1 534	847	811	1 607	1 246	533
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 943	760	521	544	1 204	1 196	434
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	15 680	721	482	518	1 121	1 114	412
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	25 210	4 264	1 215	1 159	2 143	1 683	577
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	3 067 5 000	297 1 288	179 440	185 377	355 576	349 420	55 58
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	648 773	31 48	36 53	55 75	120 137	46 78	24 24
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	325 5 327	14 108	(D) 88	55 98	95 321	51 336	— 144
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	6 241	156	115	142	394	392	174
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 056 2 612	73 100	66 86	64 86	194 268	174 228	83 131
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 087 2 939 310	967 1 567 566	676 239 937	772 195 860	1 931 266 776	1 871 164 708	701 46 185
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 714 1 596 677	810 1 042 801	494 139 717	614 109 339	1 475 129 849	1 281 62 999	446 18 611
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 128 285 104	265 178 059	139 29 795	153 22 887	348 25 770	280 10 726	102 3 353
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	7 246 1 033 768	598 700 949	364 92 071	451 65 132	1 033 71 677	958 41 970	317 10 243
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 491 1 494 432	668 897 094	440 139 532	516 102 073	1 266 135 128	1 138 74 159	413 18 256
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 041 116 751	59 34 559	44 17 256	71 22 993	175 22 110	146 8 584	36 1 307

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	380 157 607	222 111 251	837 212 954	993 122 285	1 239 102 457	1 395 61 278	1 677 167 958
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	974 21 358	527 17 614	1 845 40 842	2 190 26 385	2 281 31 199	2 494 918	3 629 806
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	1 020 24 162	476 9 003	1 343 22 668	1 220 11 873	1 170 7 465	1 398 853	1 398 14 996
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	1 003 20 984	460 7 729	1 311 16 169	1 170 10 089	1 170 5 642	1 267 3 759	1 267 13 766
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	39 3 178	23 1 274	75 6 499	83 1 784	85 1 823	108 1 171	143 1 230
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	55 4 043	33 3 416	128 11 039	128 7 052	134 6 717	128 4 958	737 62 571
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 931 786 924	936 421 428	3 638 1 337 962	4 243 1 117 044	4 296 1 003 849	4 554 893 215	6 992 1 390 916
Average per farm ..... dollars..	407 521	450 244	367 774	263 267	233 671	196 139	198 930
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 970	1 777	2 222	2 596	2 831	3 768	2 265
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	137	62	395	505	624	805	1 164
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	149	81	341	570	449	587	1 095
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	132	122	291	325	564	523	808
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	219	67	527	653	681	725	1 207
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	233	122	381	459	559	520	803
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	691	305	1 021	1 300	1 053	1 072	1 494
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	226	93	402	283	231	259	271
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	97	49	175	95	67	27	101
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	36	29	89	42	65	33	40
\$5,000,000 or more .....	11	6	16	11	3	3	9
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 930 47 518	936 21 409	3 638 78 980	4 243 74 588	4 296 68 075	4 554 72 557	6 992 116 898
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	330	146	658	892	1 016	1 086	1 606
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	398	179	701	1 049	1 098	1 242	1 724
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	418	225	949	1 003	936	983	1 755
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	467	287	913	992	1 053	993	1 412
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	237	76	301	232	137	180	363
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	73	7	111	63	52	70	123
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	7	16	5	12	4	—	9
\$500,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	1 519 2 334	686 1 005	2 921 4 259	3 265 4 353	3 281 4 230	3 319 4 246	5 019 6 686
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	1 532 2 495	780 1 276	2 906 4 494	3 444 4 944	3 602 4 763	3 770 5 077	5 571 7 283
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	793 964	421 490	1 485 1 850	1 946 2 284	2 006 2 232	2 293 2 715	3 369 3 787
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	1 028 1 531	498 786	1 921 2 644	2 052 2 660	2 021 2 531	1 933 2 362	2 831 3 496
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	961 1 331	461 655	1 782 2 365	1 916 2 409	1 808 2 188	1 780 2 118	2 604 3 103
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	158 200	96 131	258 279	222 251	324 343	214 244	375 393
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	41 53	14 15	103 103	46 53	63 64	35 35	34 35
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	243 304	175 190	677 790	720 815	726 840	686 789	1 005 1 140
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	132 156	57 80	299 401	303 371	284 323	134 152	193 230
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 542 84 381	772 39 863	2 655 114 912	2 815 77 831	2 630 55 976	2 261 34 410	3 494 50 905
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	868 24 926	451 10 322	1 177 20 693	1 035 14 431	605 5 561	517 4 118	941 13 310
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	178 5 271	79 1 438	149 2 608	149 2 416	66 151	88 537	142 2 093
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	709 16 567	265 5 929	768 10 647	596 6 510	347 2 486	303 2 123	537 7 464
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	907 32 616	395 11 902	1 160 34 415	986 16 601	853 9 850	521 5 168	1 228 17 638
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	83 1 966	25 1 188	116 2 874	71 1 743	30 233	48 171	137 1 767

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	34 799	1 091	837	1 061	2 188	2 188	847
Full owners .....	26 962	686	526	675	1 493	1 591	616
Part owners .....	5 492	276	225	279	501	385	146
Tenants .....	2 345	129	86	107	194	212	85
White .....	33 481	1 068	810	1 031	2 130	2 113	818
Full owners .....	26 043	673	514	655	1 458	1 547	592
Part owners .....	5 230	268	216	272	486	369	143
Tenants .....	2 208	127	80	104	186	197	83
Black and other races .....	1 318	23	27	30	58	75	29
Full owners .....	919	13	12	20	35	44	24
Part owners .....	262	8	9	7	15	16	3
Tenants .....	137	2	6	3	8	15	2
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	32 502	964	752	956	1 996	1 979	762
acres..	8 310 743	3 202 152	846 430	581 395	869 548	515 017	111 181
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	32 454	962	751	954	1 994	762
acres..	7 648 772	2 869 327	828 987	561 902	834 252	485 499	103 594
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	7 895	405	313	386	699	599
acres..	2 851 242	429 629	178 046	325 638	495 142	301 383	82 243
landlords..	15 172	1 256	851	1 047	1 792	1 247	497
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 837	405	311	386	695	597
acres..	2 805 445	421 616	175 560	323 792	487 807	295 520	82 088
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	2 406	84	51	62	141	160
acres..	707 768	340 838	19 929	21 339	42 631	35 381	7 742
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	21 333	283	379	458	1 007	1 089	413
Not on farm operated .....	10 106	610	344	430	892	826	332
Not reported .....	3 360	198	114	173	289	273	102
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	15 782	966	699	871	1 655	1 444	458
Other .....	19 017	125	138	190	533	744	389
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	14 054	772	580	685	1 300	1 104	378
Any .....	18 337	191	170	252	650	871	399
1 to 99 days .....	2 407	54	44	46	137	178	63
100 to 199 days .....	2 778	31	26	47	103	168	56
200 days or more .....	13 152	106	100	159	410	525	280
Not reported .....	2 408	128	87	124	238	213	70
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	1 924	29	26	41	99	109	36
3 or 4 years .....	2 802	45	45	54	111	153	53
5 to 9 years .....	5 431	123	100	131	335	333	106
10 years or more .....	18 327	617	502	614	1 237	1 249	494
Average years on present farm .....		17.3	19.6	18.9	18.3	18.4	18.5
Not reported .....	6 315	277	164	221	406	344	158
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	150	3	2	3	12	12	6
25 to 34 years .....	1 493	44	53	59	119	114	29
35 to 44 years .....	5 664	207	179	253	415	365	124
45 to 49 years .....	4 111	193	123	149	316	272	108
50 to 54 years .....	4 518	136	128	141	277	264	85
55 to 59 years .....	4 356	152	107	128	272	262	121
60 to 64 years .....	3 937	126	96	103	240	278	112
65 to 69 years .....	3 802	124	63	90	230	221	93
70 years and over .....	6 768	106	86	135	307	400	169
Average age .....		56.5	54.0	52.5	53.0	54.3	57.2
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	29 415	1 040	782	974	1 951	1 891	710
Female .....	5 384	51	55	87	237	297	137
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1 060	37	36	37	83	94	18
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	27 173	252	333	492	1 189	1 363	559
acres..	4 473 744	415 683	229 045	416 710	568 420	499 160	112 572
Partnership .....	farms..	2 716	149	120	162	274	240
acres..	1 614 276	505 283	224 709	192 689	293 577	88 748	29 107
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	532	328	343	627	473
acres..	3 021 393	1 451 606	494 551	235 863	268 902	161 951	39 154
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	157	74	16	10	15	10
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	3 724	458	312	333	612	463
Other than family held .....	farms..	635	144	52	54	70	73
acres..	1 065 642	821 640	(D)	29 917	138 520	16 438	20 (D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	67	29	12	5	2	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	568	115	40	49	68	71
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	394	14	4	10	28	39
acres..	279 162	96 731	(D)	10 515	52 640	14 722	11 (D)

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	1 958	1 012	3 560	4 122	4 405	4 771	6 759
Full owners .....	1 435	734	2 613	3 157	3 445	3 943	6 048
Part owners .....	338	199	659	690	701	598	495
Tenants .....	185	79	288	275	259	230	216
White .....	1 894	980	3 427	3 937	4 204	4 566	6 503
Full owners .....	1 398	715	2 535	3 032	3 300	3 792	5 832
Part owners .....	322	189	629	645	667	562	462
Tenants .....	174	76	263	260	237	212	209
Black and other races .....	64	32	133	185	201	205	256
Full owners .....	37	19	78	125	145	151	216
Part owners .....	16	10	30	45	34	36	33
Tenants .....	11	3	25	15	22	18	7
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned..... farms..	1 780	933	3 281	3 855	4 151	4 546	6 547
acres..	320 729	136 535	399 054	336 769	285 091	211 726	495 116
Owned land in farms .....	1 773	933	3 272	3 847	4 146	4 541	6 543
acres..	282 236	127 162	363 702	300 810	255 549	189 611	446 141
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	526	281	952	972	835	722
acres..	139 128	140 978	267 789	180 969	101 452	57 222	151 623
landlords..	1 000	523	1 657	1 573	1 478	1 254	997
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	523	278	947	965	960	828
acres..	135 701	140 248	262 525	177 695	99 995	56 163	711
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	177	68	262	313	316	242
acres..	41 920	10 103	40 616	39 233	30 999	23 174	468
							53 863
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	1 050	575	2 132	2 749	3 101	3 531	4 566
Not on farm operated .....	736	335	1 110	1 047	958	892	1 594
Not reported .....	172	102	318	326	346	348	599
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	1 061	509	1 699	1 679	1 556	1 410	1 775
Other .....	897	503	1 861	2 443	2 849	3 361	4 984
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	850	399	1 410	1 455	1 477	1 487	2 157
Any .....	974	546	1 900	2 399	2 676	3 030	4 279
1 to 99 days .....	145	80	268	313	316	328	435
100 to 199 days .....	160	82	311	400	380	426	588
200 days or more .....	669	384	1 321	1 686	1 980	2 276	3 256
Not reported .....	134	67	250	268	252	254	323
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	86	46	209	230	249	288	476
3 or 4 years .....	134	70	261	382	424	453	617
5 to 9 years .....	341	154	530	617	732	802	1 127
10 years or more .....	1 072	576	1 925	2 202	2 236	2 389	3 214
Average years on present farm .....	18.0	18.3	18.0	17.3	16.8	16.3	15.8
Not reported .....	325	166	635	691	764	839	1 325
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	10	5	17	9	27	21	23
25 to 34 years .....	80	45	152	163	168	206	261
35 to 44 years .....	337	174	556	664	646	722	1 022
45 to 49 years .....	222	120	359	420	476	554	799
50 to 54 years .....	250	119	448	511	601	672	886
55 to 59 years .....	228	130	440	513	568	566	869
60 to 64 years .....	220	116	407	481	495	551	712
65 to 69 years .....	190	110	404	473	536	545	723
70 years and over .....	421	193	777	888	888	934	1 464
Average age .....	56.8	56.6	57.3	57.3	57.2	56.7	57.3
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	1 681	860	3 030	3 462	3 687	4 028	5 319
Female .....	277	152	530	660	718	743	1 440
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	69	19	120	109	133	109	196
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	1 398	765	2 842	3 537	4 006	4 399	6 038
acres..	285 343	209 575	481 500	394 376	308 815	208 597	343 948
Partnership .....	farms..	212	99	328	302	212	331
acres..	58 898	24 643	56 866	47 534	21 746	13 703	56 773
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms..	272	120	301	212	132	111
acres..	64 676	26 901	66 829	20 945	14 509	5 641	269 865
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	7	2	9	5	—	5
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	265	118	292	207	132	108
Other than family held .....	farms..	40	16	53	27	18	23
acres..	2 725	2 723	9 335	670	2 510	1 614	45 9 022
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	4	4	1	2	1	2
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	36	12	52	25	16	22
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	36	12	36	44	37	47
acres..	6 295	3 568	11 697	14 980	7 964	16 219	76 13 268

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<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	199	20	6	10	10	1
number..		238	28	6	13	10	(D)
Hired workers .....	farms..	588	289	87	60	33	4
number..		1 531	1 074	141	102	41	5
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	1	—
number..		(D)				(D)	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	6	2	—	1	—	—
number..		6	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		7 394	22	50	113	334	368
10 to 49 acres .....		12 750	140	200	216	462	605
50 to 69 acres .....		2 206	33	33	51	125	189
70 to 99 acres .....		2 388	36	54	51	168	164
100 to 139 acres .....		1 984	38	35	55	161	130
140 to 179 acres .....		1 354	32	44	58	113	82
180 to 219 acres .....		949	28	29	49	83	68
220 to 259 acres .....		671	16	29	47	57	63
260 to 499 acres .....		2 067	102	124	130	261	183
500 to 999 acres .....		1 390	176	102	132	167	159
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		802	196	53	70	106	85
2,000 acres or more .....		844	272	84	89	151	92
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		1 118	1	1	10	21	31
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		1 250	201	96	76	133	124
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		8 245	291	161	280	630	705
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		4 902	303	260	330	683	591
Other crop farming (1119) .....		2 137	65	60	127	243	183
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		137	1	5	34	43	18
Cotton farming (11192) .....		202	3	15	33	63	26
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 798	61	40	60	137	139
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		12 040	27	42	69	229	320
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		309	—	—	—	4	10
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		296	114	49	36	28	24
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		468	—	1	3	11	9
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		560	64	137	84	62	30
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		272	—	—	1	—	3
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		3 202	25	30	45	144	158
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	farms..	15 849	291	255	312	654	652
number..	number..	1 808 900	534 986	196 702	163 852	221 073	143 093
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		3 578	3	16	7	38	36
10 to 49 .....		7 493	17	57	53	117	129
50 to 99 .....		2 060	22	22	41	82	92
100 to 199 .....		1 190	32	24	41	116	105
200 to 499 .....		891	30	56	75	130	220
500 or more .....		637	187	80	95	171	70
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	13 930	280	240	300	609	611
number..	number..	1 162 686	348 346	127 543	106 280	145 662	95 143
Beef cows .....	farms..	13 600	188	199	267	586	594
number..	number..	1 003 072	216 683	112 213	98 648	143 176	94 133
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		4 552	7	14	15	50	44
10 to 49 .....		5 878	28	69	64	134	148
50 to 99 .....		1 448	27	20	36	82	92
100 to 199 .....		790	25	20	40	77	110
200 to 499 .....		599	32	21	43	138	173
500 or more .....		333	69	55	69	105	27
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	113	52	43	33	37
number..	number..	159 614	131 663	15 330	7 632	2 486	1 010
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....		314	—	4	4	5	10
5 to 9 .....		57	—	—	1	—	1
10 to 49 .....		65	1	—	1	2	19
50 to 99 .....		31	—	1	3	20	7
100 to 199 .....		28	1	3	19	5	—
200 to 499 .....		73	19	40	13	1	—
500 or more .....		98	92	4	2	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	farms..	11 905	249	196	270	538	523
number..	number..	370 425	118 340	39 834	33 053	42 295	24 989
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	248	220	291	586	575
number..	number..	275 789	68 300	29 325	24 519	33 116	22 961

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	9	4	14	23	33	20
number..		12	(D)	14	24	43	23
Hired workers .....	farms..	18	6	4	11	3	3
number..		24	7	6	17	3	4
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	—	3	—	—
number..		—	—	(D)	—	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		340	174	747	935	1 033	1 213
10 to 49 acres .....		704	375	1 093	1 321	1 755	2 369
50 to 69 acres .....		122	46	196	320	376	310
70 to 99 acres .....		112	42	238	390	380	351
100 to 139 acres .....		114	51	250	331	286	193
140 to 179 acres .....		83	46	189	225	166	109
180 to 219 acres .....		50	37	149	147	116	75
220 to 259 acres .....		58	20	111	98	50	33
260 to 499 acres .....		175	100	340	210	134	72
500 to 999 acres .....		109	71	155	85	75	31
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		60	34	55	36	25	12
2,000 acres or more .....		31	16	37	24	9	3
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		48	21	62	74	60	80
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		106	46	160	136	70	38
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		624	306	871	752	722	599
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		429	195	585	550	316	364
Other crop farming (1119) .....		138	74	294	292	248	218
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		5	2	9	11	4	1
Cotton farming (11192) .....		12	10	21	6	—	4
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		121	62	264	275	244	213
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		369	268	1 193	1 794	2 366	2 821
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		13	3	34	53	84	86
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		17	6	8	—	—	5
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		17	10	43	76	107	110
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		12	3	12	20	25	39
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		4	1	14	10	19	71
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		181	79	284	365	388	345
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	farms..	701	425	1 613	2 194	2 695	3 093
number..	number..	86 549	48 052	126 092	98 197	75 113	52 325
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		70	22	120	195	356	895
10 to 49 .....		184	125	523	1 225	2 011	2 093
50 to 99 .....		128	81	534	615	288	92
100 to 199 .....		167	131	349	140	31	12
200 to 499 .....		136	60	81	18	9	1
500 or more .....		16	6	6	1	—	2
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	651	394	1 493	1 992	2 388	2 643
number..	number..	55 495	32 274	79 788	60 878	44 121	29 935
Beef cows .....	farms..	638	390	1 479	1 983	2 372	2 623
number..	number..	55 222	32 183	79 639	60 726	43 917	29 729
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....		80	30	180	305	681	1 448
10 to 49 .....		192	125	623	1 321	1 589	1 135
50 to 99 .....		131	105	488	308	81	38
100 to 199 .....		160	97	149	42	21	2
200 to 499 .....		72	32	38	7	—	1
500 or more .....		3	1	1	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	25	12	28	53	66	84
number..	number..	273	91	149	152	204	206
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....		7	4	17	41	50	74
5 to 9 .....		1	1	2	12	16	10
10 to 49 .....		17	7	9	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	farms..	547	330	1 270	1 681	2 061	2 209
number..	number..	15 681	8 480	24 415	19 771	17 042	12 263
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	617	366	1 426	1 939	2 366	2 623
number..	number..	15 373	7 298	21 889	17 548	13 950	10 127

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold	farms..	14 600	292	249	313	641	652
number..	869 219	262 469	95 637	82 448	114 451	75 264	18 067
\$1,000..	301 660	100 863	35 180	29 989	41 034	25 252	5 680
Calves	farms..	12 649	245	214	259	538	559
number..	572 171	140 814	64 522	51 778	72 765	54 177	13 921
\$1,000..	150 127	34 362	19 731	14 238	20 671	14 956	3 803
Cattle	farms..	7 390	222	157	204	407	394
number..	297 048	121 655	31 115	30 670	41 686	21 087	4 146
\$1,000..	151 533	66 500	15 449	15 751	20 363	10 295	1 877
Fattened on grain and concentrates	farms..	578	6	4	6	25	11
number..	5 922	641	63	122	1 361	1 048	182
\$1,000..	3 955	316	37	83	975	781	118
Hogs and pigs inventory	farms..	1 431	8	12	19	38	54
number..	50 309	813	3 654	7 405	9 884	4 571	1 565
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....	1 118	4	6	8	13	21	16
25 to 49 .....	132	—	3	2	1	10	1
50 to 99 .....	80	—	—	2	5	9	3
100 to 199 .....	53	2	—	1	9	4	3
200 to 499 .....	33	2	2	1	2	9	3
500 or more .....	15	—	1	5	8	1	—
Used or to be used for breeding	farms..	802	6	4	14	26	42
number..	9 062	224	380	1 091	2 117	775	318
Other	farms..	1 303	7	12	19	37	48
number..	41 247	589	3 274	6 314	7 767	3 796	1 247
Hogs and pigs sold	farms..	971	6	8	15	33	47
number..	96 512	(D)	(D)	15 265	29 073	9 207	3 084
\$1,000..	7 997	253	(D)	1 341	1 763	729	322
Feeder pigs	farms..	189	—	2	3	9	10
number..	36 635	—	(D)	(D)	19 440	3 932	(D)
\$1,000..	1 394	—	(D)	(D)	690	164	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	857	6	4	15	26	42
number..	12 427	(D)	(D)	1 800	3 449	1 086	459
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	766	6	4	15	26	41
number..	6 389	(D)	(D)	909	1 719	532	232
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	651	5	4	11	25	39
number..	6 038	(D)	(D)	891	1 730	554	227
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory	farms..	336	—	3	2	10	8
number..	5 722	—	(D)	(D)	387	671	7
Ewes 1 year old or older	farms..	209	—	2	1	6	3
number..	2 512	—	(D)	(D)	272	(D)	4
number..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	30
Sheep and lambs sold	farms..	187	—	2	2	5	7
number..	4 071	—	(D)	(D)	194	654	5
Sheep and lambs shorn	farms..	121	—	2	1	4	3
number..	2 611	—	(D)	(D)	377	(D)	34
pounds of wool..	13 992	—	(D)	(D)	1 887	(D)	169
Horses and ponies inventory	farms..	6 791	101	96	106	301	269
number..	54 878	3 351	1 590	1 833	3 660	3 428	1 173
Horses and ponies sold	farms..	1 720	19	25	21	92	83
number..	8 235	871	404	305	1 704	740	315
Goats inventory	farms..	1 287	2	8	7	21	13
number..	24 209	(D)	371	(D)	553	476	1 331
Goats sold	farms..	574	1	5	3	6	3
number..	13 122	(D)	118	(D)	66	19	12
number..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	936
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older	farms..	1 203	21	22	17	27	28
inventory (see text) .....	number..	12 605 047	10 533 838	(D)	(D)	370 915	198 717
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....	1 104	—	2	1	7	13	8
400 to 3,199 .....	4	—	—	—	—	2	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....	10	—	—	—	1	4	1
10,000 to 19,999 .....	22	—	2	2	13	5	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	33	—	10	13	6	4	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	14	5	8	1	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....	16	16	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older	farms..	1 157	20	20	16	22	25
number..	11 608 529	9 998 392	837 517	378 626	231 842	125 686	9
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old	farms..	237	5	2	2	7	6
number..	996 518	535 446	(D)	(D)	139 073	73 031	2
number..	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)	farms..	267	19	21	22	26	14
number..	8 180 675	4 079 461	1 887 345	1 123 681	805 661	206 689	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	farms..	321	42	121	63	37	10
number..	105 967 210	35 540 289	50 768 513	14 429 746	3 835 453	1 050 705	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....	45	—	—	—	—	2	—
2,000 to 59,999 .....	10	—	—	—	2	4	1
60,000 to 99,999 .....	22	—	—	—	19	3	—
100,000 or more .....	244	42	121	63	16	1	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding	farms..	165	—	—	—	3	2
number..	732	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold	farms..	52	—	—	—	2	1
number..	783	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—

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Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	670	430	1 594	2 188	2 687	3 052
number..	42 044	20 761	58 760	45 398	31 247	18 394	4 279
\$1,000..	12 716	6 315	17 352	12 935	8 601	4 809	935
Calves .....	farms..	570	384	1 407	1 970	2 368	2 641
number..	31 066	16 475	45 902	36 605	25 230	15 195	3 721
\$1,000..	7 671	4 335	11 521	8 917	5 833	3 397	693
Cattle .....	farms..	407	241	875	1 164	1 397	1 324
number..	10 978	4 286	12 858	8 793	6 017	3 199	455
\$1,000..	5 045	1 980	5 832	4 019	2 767	1 413	242
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	35	13	68	110	130	122
number..	590	93	658	528	409	206	21
\$1,000..	389	73	430	343	266	131	12
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	64	40	135	226	264	251
number..	3 809	2 437	4 580	4 399	3 245	2 383	1 564
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		33	22	84	177	222	227
25 to 49 .....		6	3	18	26	35	19
50 to 99 .....		11	6	20	13	5	5
100 to 199 .....		8	5	10	9	2	—
200 to 499 .....		6	4	3	1	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	39	21	89	138	157	125
number..	538	322	748	894	709	506	440
Other .....	farms..	61	37	119	203	232	232
number..	3 271	2 115	3 832	3 505	2 536	1 877	1 124
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	52	37	115	180	185	175
number..	6 400	3 343	7 315	6 756	4 200	2 150	674
\$1,000..	608	(D)	741	606	384	186	37
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	9	9	6	33	35	39
number..	969	1 241	851	2 089	910	605	308
\$1,000..	35	41	35	73	30	21	9
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	40	24	94	145	173	138
number..	976	382	864	1 010	677	465	302
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	39	24	83	136	141	127
number..	511	190	479	530	328	294	168
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	35	20	76	120	138	90
number..	465	192	385	480	349	171	134
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	17	7	30	54	48	64
number..	247	73	605	1 269	544	811	788
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	14	2	20	32	35	42
number..	142	(D)	224	530	308	409	400
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	12	5	19	37	28	36
number..	392	63	514	879	362	532	303
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	5	1	9	18	19	28
number..	97	(D)	252	431	361	443	374
pounds of wool..	457	(D)	1 228	2 009	2 449	2 236	2 028
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	294	173	658	841	975	994
number..	2 828	1 813	4 553	5 410	5 340	4 377	15 522
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	97	64	232	321	355	279
number..	497	401	801	882	752	456	107
Goats inventory .....	farms..	40	21	94	160	202	296
number..	743	528	1 852	2 236	2 729	4 788	403
Goats sold .....	farms..	17	11	52	79	97	157
number..	363	508	1 456	1 513	1 320	2 253	1 054
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	38	15	68	136	205	239
number..	(D)	417	1 755	3 740	7 176	4 904	378
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		34	15	68	135	204	239
400 to 3,199 .....		—	—	—	1	1	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		4	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	35	15	63	133	201	233
number..	(D)	380	1 614	3 186	6 385	4 289	365
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	7	3	16	28	40	41
number..	(D)	37	141	554	791	615	78
1 126							
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	9	5	15	14	34	40
number..	29 115	55	(D)	3 455	1 068	1 093	1 299
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	5	—	7	5	8	11
number..	(D)	—	(D)	523	(D)	858	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		3	—	6	5	8	11
2,000 to 59,999 .....		2	—	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	6	3	9	26	31	34
number..	14	10	59	137	149	92	48
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	4	1	3	10	9	4
number..	44	(D)	(D)	50	95	23	18
							80

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	35	46	72	135	113
acres..	69 623	7 892	6 927	10 744	13 210	8 866	2 676
bushels..	5 440 956	782 247	612 253	863 987	1 087 726	672 933	190 246
Irrigated .....	farms..	167	17	20	21	38	20
acres..	14 593	3 889	2 642	2 279	3 261	1 265	230
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		638	1	5	7	17	15
25 to 99 acres .....		404	11	17	21	63	65
100 to 249 acres .....		179	13	12	34	47	29
250 to 499 acres .....		36	5	11	7	6	4
500 acres or more .....		11	5	1	3	2	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	6	15	42	52	28
acres..	6 881	689	1 148	2 814	1 489	517	5
pounds..	16 191 980	1 626 317	2 719 924	6 749 991	3 744 373	964 780	58
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	6	14	33	38	(D)
acres..	5 559	689	1 083	2 225	1 113	394	1
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	—	—	—	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	—	—	—	—	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	—	—	—	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	—	—	—	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	—	—	—	1	14
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	—	2	1	15	9
25.0 acres or more .....		102	6	13	41	36	5
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	12	22	37	90	62
acres..	41 021	2 125	6 330	7 472	11 619	5 437	17
bushels..	1 025 521	58 919	161 237	186 474	307 877	134 601	974
Irrigated .....	farms..	30	—	6	4	9	7
acres..	2 317	—	420	325	826	—	525
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		79	—	—	2	5	7
25 to 99 acres .....		184	4	5	12	37	30
100 to 249 acres .....		106	5	9	14	35	23
250 to 499 acres .....		25	1	6	5	11	2
500 acres or more .....		10	2	2	4	2	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	45	25	9	10	1
acres..	41 255	30 078	8 305	1 878	461	347	(D)
cwt..	8 815 285	6 351 344	1 908 222	370 788	97 363	48 302	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	116	44	25	8	8	1
acres..	39 690	29 558	7 514	1 738	403	304	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	—	—	—	1	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	—	—	2	2	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	—	1	—	5	4
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	4	9	7	1	1
250.0 acres or more .....		58	41	15	2	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	58	12	12	16	13
acres..	421 421	406 063	7 577	3 576	2 952	670	3
tons..	15 718 897	15 192 916	257 195	125 708	97 558	23 031	121
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	50	10	11	13	3
acres..	389 800	377 541	6 255	3 306	2 200	(D)	(D)
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	16	52	78	157	133
acres..	76 682	13 344	18 333	14 632	15 963	7 439	1 239
pounds..	209 914 666	42 858 285	54 507 953	38 546 984	41 942 634	18 735 761	3 127 174
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	5	18	16	35	5
acres..	15 184	4 295	4 745	1 820	2 661	1 140	373
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		254	1	2	2	12	27
25 to 99 acres .....		285	2	5	19	74	86
100 to 249 acres .....		144	1	11	39	68	20
250 to 499 acres .....		39	4	20	13	2	—
500 acres or more .....		28	8	14	5	1	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ...	farms..	4 798	147	128	159	299	334
acres..	265 985	41 344	11 766	24 670	34 015	30 151	118
tons, dry..	697 410	121 094	40 289	71 662	104 566	81 654	12 002
Irrigated .....	farms..	254	38	14	16	35	7
acres..	19 727	9 026	1 069	1 074	3 511	839	30 876
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	14	35	33	67	79
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	39	56	58	113	48
100 to 249 acres .....		480	44	25	40	84	84
250 to 499 acres .....		127	28	8	14	27	21
500 acres or more .....		54	22	4	14	8	2
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	1 500	210	109	117	183	171
acres..	250 562	198 109	19 886	11 001	11 049	4 444	62
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	199	95	92	145	121
acres..	221 516	181 180	17 600	8 246	8 483	3 040	38
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	1	2	6	7	20
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	5	7	17	38	34
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	12	32	38	102	18
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	29	34	52	36	3
250.0 acres or more .....		201	163	34	4	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	104	43	167	168	127	119
	acres..	5 919	(D)	4 495	3 483	1 551	1 334
	bushels..	444 432	(D)	277 164	217 156	84 779	54 126
Irrigated .....	farms..	12	1	9	5	5	10
	acres..	667	(D)	(D)	39	5	35
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		38	18	89	114	114	111
25 to 99 acres .....		44	16	74	52	13	8
100 to 249 acres .....		20	9	4	2	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		2	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	8	2	10	12	5	1
	acres..	67	(D)	(D)	29	(D)	(D)
	pounds..	112 912	(D)	104 938	47 183	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	3	—	3	—	—	—
	acres..	(D)	—	25	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		—	—	—	1	1	1
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		—	—	1	5	1	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		—	—	3	3	2	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		—	1	1	1	1	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		6	1	3	2	—	—
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		2	—	2	—	—	—
25.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	43	17	48	28	18	8
	acres..	2 983	775	2 025	657	517	(D)
	bushels..	67 522	18 793	44 226	11 875	8 497	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	—	2
	acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		3	3	19	17	8	8
25 to 99 acres .....		29	11	26	11	10	—
100 to 249 acres .....		11	3	3	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	11	1	6	8	6	4
	acres..	115	(D)	(D)	9	4	(D)
	cwt..	25 823	(D)	44 226	1 485	320	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	7	1	2	7	2	—
	acres..	113	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		4	1	5	7	6	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		7	—	1	1	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	9	4	5	8	5	2
	acres..	263	55	92	32	10	(D)
	tons..	11 221	2 336	2 976	1 052	342	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	8	1	—	2	1	—
	acres..	241	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	65	32	107	42	19	11
	acres..	1 996	756	2 254	483	172	39
	pounds..	4 004 712	1 261 297	3 816 400	804 531	217 155	66 890
Irrigated .....	farms..	4	1	2	6	—	2
	acres..	70	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		30	18	81	36	18	11
25 to 99 acres .....		33	14	24	6	1	—
100 to 249 acres .....		2	—	2	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	314	192	692	819	713	538
	acres..	22 968	11 746	27 003	22 095	14 570	8 780
	tons, dry..	54 139	27 863	68 264	50 299	26 435	14 609
Irrigated .....	farms..	10	11	29	25	20	12
	acres..	702	471	1 063	343	333	87
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		73	62	281	478	534	429
25 to 99 acres .....		169	99	367	321	170	105
100 to 249 acres .....		62	23	41	19	8	4
250 to 499 acres .....		7	8	3	1	—	1
500 acres or more .....		3	—	—	—	1	—
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	120	53	189	152	77	41
	acres..	1 903	542	1 447	551	161	78
Irrigated .....	farms..	73	28	94	83	44	22
	acres..	1 056	314	499	253	66	50
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		18	13	75	116	71	39
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		78	38	107	35	6	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		24	2	6	1	—	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	1	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$40,000 to \$49,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>							
Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—							
Con.							
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	43	31	13	25	21
acres..	30 275	21 512	6 016	883	1 109	315	315
Irrigated .....	farms..	192	39	28	12	18	12
acres..	27 908	20 220	5 621	774	808	240	5
(D)							
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	319	46	8	8	23	29
acres..	43 595	40 761	1 631	108	343	256	41
Irrigated .....	farms..	169	42	6	5	17	14
acres..	31 165	29 209	1 391	100	253	47	3
5							
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	192	77	17	17	15	14
acres..	39 900	37 889	929	616	355	69	12
Irrigated .....	farms..	174	76	15	17	13	12
acres..	39 384	37 439	883	616	345	67	3
12							
Land in orchards.....	farms..	9 379	327	187	307	695	781
acres..	981 910	623 943	69 000	63 665	72 923	42 841	324
Irrigated .....	farms..	6 650	317	169	279	597	672
acres..	895 071	594 004	62 329	60 297	63 235	37 421	13 407
283							
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		2 300	6	9	9	21	37
acres..		3 770	13	12	22	52	116
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		2 167	13	13	33	338	543
acres..		574	9	28	143	239	199
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		568	286	125	100	45	79
acres..							21
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....							—
acres..							
250.0 acres or more .....							
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	7 676	319	175	282	651	712
Bearing and nonbearing--acres..		959 364	622 232	67 628	62 644	70 795	40 465
							305
							12 871

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**Table 50. Summary by Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$39,999	\$20,000 to \$24,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>							
Con.							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—							
Con.							
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	23	9	48	29	18	10
	acres..	133	47	125	40	9	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	18	5	22	17	6	6
	acres..	101	(D)	62	20	6	(D)
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	32	18	67	42	25	10
	acres..	125	63	189	55	15	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	17	8	21	19	10	5
	acres..	64	32	31	21	6	(D)
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	10	7	17	7	8	—
	acres..	6	8	13	1	2	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	9	4	12	6	7	—
	acres..	6	4	11	1	1	—
Land in orchards.....	farms..	719	346	1 003	918	870	750
	acres..	20 371	8 253	18 827	12 083	7 774	5 636
Irrigated .....	farms..	580	261	727	625	534	432
	acres..	16 614	6 186	13 246	8 587	4 856	3 182
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		51	26	123	252	368	395
							990
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		349	207	651	560	437	319
							941
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		306	105	219	99	63	34
							202
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		12	8	7	5	2	2
							19
250.0 acres or more .....		1	—	3	2	—	—
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	648	318	859	749	655	533
Bearing and nonbearing .....	acres..	19 254	7 799	17 213	10 590	6 174	4 150
							1 470
							17 552

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>									
Farms .....	34 799	1 118	1 250	8 245	4 902	2 137	137	202	1 798
number .....	100.0	3.2	3.6	23.7	14.1	6.1	.4	.6	5.2
Land in farms .....	10 454 217	297 131	546 226	1 912 447	348 394	1 438 424	67 545	119 856	1 251 023
acres .....	300	266	437	232	71	673	493	593	696
Average size of farm .....									
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>									
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	34 799	1 118	1 250	8 245	4 902	2 137	137	202
\$1,000..	6 004 554	16 169	1 189 442	1 452 592	1 431 084	758 131	25 478	39 189	693 464
Average per farm .....	\$dollars..	172 550	14 462	951 553	176 178	291 939	354 764	185 973	194 005
Farms by value of sales:									
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		6 759	696	15	2 015	74	138	—	—
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		4 771	80	38	599	364	218	1	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		4 405	60	70	722	316	248	4	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		4 122	74	136	752	550	292	11	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		3 560	62	160	871	585	294	9	21
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 012	21	46	306	195	74	2	10
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 958	48	106	624	429	138	5	12
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		847	13	49	289	222	57	4	9
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		2 188	31	124	705	591	183	18	26
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		2 188	21	133	630	683	243	43	63
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		1 061	10	76	280	330	127	34	33
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		837	1	96	161	260	60	5	15
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		657	1	101	173	187	33	1	3
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		232	—	46	61	76	15	—	15
\$5,000,000 or more .....		202	—	54	57	40	17	—	17
Grains .....	farms..	1 187	449	94	3	7	430	52	67
\$1,000..	27 613	9 213	1 940	(D)	63	14 055	1 485	1 790	10 780
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	133	47	10	—	—	65	9	12
\$1,000..	17 307	5 589	1 276	—	—	9 418	861	1 040	7 517
Corn for grain .....	farms..	888	370	67	2	5	297	51	39
\$1,000..	12 985	5 223	1 183	(D)	46	5 135	1 414	745	2 976
Wheat .....	farms..	185	59	12	—	3	86	2	25
\$1,000..	1 991	693	118	—	(D)	1 059	(D)	(D)	664
Soybeans .....	farms..	401	139	19	—	1	190	5	39
\$1,000..	6 798	2 842	361	—	(D)	2 937	42	649	2 246
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	11	3	2	—	—	4	—	4
\$1,000..	116	86	(D)	—	—	—	14	—	14
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	57	21	1	—	—	31	1	4
\$1,000..	369	126	(D)	—	—	235	(D)	(D)	220
Other grains .....	farms..	84	17	17	1	—	33	4	—
\$1,000..	5 354	243	268	(D)	—	4 674	14	—	4 660
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	342	10	12	—	—	313	3	202
\$1,000..	42 478	188	2 010	—	—	39 970	245	27 655	12 070
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	200	—	8	—	—	189	2	129
\$1,000..	39 438	—	1 877	—	—	37 346	(D)	26 195	(D)
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	2	14	—	1	161	137	1
\$1,000..	25 595	(D)	1 734	—	(D)	22 573	20 483	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	126	1	9	—	1	109	97	—
\$1,000..	24 528	(D)	1 641	—	(D)	21 644	19 810	—	1 835
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	2 233	61	74	75	38	1 212	9	13
\$1,000..	27 263	3 973	1 095	384	289	16 431	105	244	16 083
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	104	11	4	—	1	73	—	72
\$1,000..	13 518	3 645	496	—	(D)	7 805	—	(D)	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	1 497	16	1 168	69	39	135	20	1
\$1,000..	1 083 921	628	1 040 012	8 311	1 158	29 984	(D)	(D)	29 126
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	633	4	537	24	4	50	6	44
\$1,000..	1 070 203	(D)	1 029 716	7 509	690	28 647	519	—	28 128
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	7 584	8	123	6 828	219	73	1	2
\$1,000..	1 493 470	11	15 228	1 412 784	5 824	49 531	(D)	(D)	49 505
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 117	—	26	2 036	20	12	—	12
\$1,000..	1 429 633	—	14 447	1 352 611	4 871	49 250	—	—	49 250
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	5 121	2	51	76	4 902	22	—	1
\$1,000..	1 449 951	(D)	12 039	4 758	1 418 910	13 155	—	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2 182	—	9	12	2 149	5	—	5
\$1,000..	1 407 414	—	11 700	(D)	1 377 664	13 045	—	—	13 045
Other crops .....	farms..	1 084	53	202	8	4	740	17	128
\$1,000..	666 971	988	106 851	(D)	(D)	554 774	493	8 476	545 805
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	449	5	111	3	1	321	1	263
\$1,000..	657 657	539	105 911	2 914	(D)	547 536	(D)	(D)	540 258
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	942	2	24	28	28	22	2	20
\$1,000..	348 000	(D)	21	64	264	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	385	—	—	2	2	—	1	—
\$1,000..	346 702	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Dairy products .....	farms..	308	1	1	—	—	2	—	1
\$1,000..	382 431	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	250	1	1	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	381 084	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	14 600	133	271	708	225	830	81	50
\$1,000..	301 660	793	8 107	22 739	3 813	15 612	1 478	557	699
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	961	2	33	79	10	53	7	44
\$1,000..	215 179	(D)	5 681	18 300	2 610	9 206	(D)	(D)	8 488

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>							
Farms .....	12 040	309	296	468	560	272	3 202
number .....	34.6	.9	.9	1.3	1.6	.8	9.2
Land in farms .....	5 359 103	38 160	193 085	30 165	66 964	14 351	209 767
acres .....	445	123	652	64	120	53	66
Average size of farm .....							
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICUL- TURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>							
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	12 040	309	296	468	560	272
\$1,000..	234 482	3 233	412 946	7 083	352 742	1 136	3 202
Average per farm .....	dollars..	19 475	10 463	1 395 087	15 135	629 897	145 514
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		2 428	19	5	73	69	1 078
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		2 821	86	—	110	39	345
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		2 366	84	—	107	25	388
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 794	53	—	76	20	10
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		1 193	34	8	43	12	365
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		268	3	6	10	3	284
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		369	13	17	17	12	79
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		114	3	9	8	3	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		320	10	24	9	30	80
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		229	4	28	11	62	158
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		69	—	36	3	84	144
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		42	—	49	1	137	45
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		21	—	77	—	46	30
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		4	—	21	—	5	18
\$5,000,000 or more .....		2	—	16	—	13	4
Grains .....	farms..	136	2	14	13	29	—
\$1,000..	1 020	(D)	351	230	697	—	10
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	5	—	2	1	3	26
\$1,000..	344	—	(D)	(D)	377	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	99	1	7	8	27	—
\$1,000..	615	(D)	234	158	379	—	5
Wheat .....	farms..	10	—	2	5	5	7
\$1,000..	43	—	(D)	(D)	31	—	3
Soybeans .....	farms..	28	1	5	5	10	(D)
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	60	24	216	—	3
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	3	—	1	—	—	—
\$1,000..	5	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Other grains .....	farms..	8	—	3	1	4	—
\$1,000..	9	—	(D)	(D)	71	—	—
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	4	—	—	1	1	—
\$1,000..	175	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	1
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2	—	—	—	1	(D)
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	7	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	(D)	1 089	—	—
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	6	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	579	16	25	13	76	8
\$1,000..	3 001	24	601	44	1 044	20	56
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	5	—	4	—	525	356
\$1,000..	384	—	406	—	—	—	(D)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	41	2	3	2	15	—
\$1,000..	3 233	(D)	80	(D)	477	—	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	12	—	—	—	2	31
\$1,000..	2 886	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	264	3	7	6	13	4
\$1,000..	7 726	2	1 248	(D)	891	(D)	36
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	19	—	2	—	2	222
\$1,000..	6 536	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	50	—	—	7	7	2
\$1,000..	873	—	—	9	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	6	—	—	—	1	—
\$1,000..	678	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Other crops .....	farms..	49	2	8	13	4	—
\$1,000..	851	(D)	202	165	13	—	1
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	6	—	2	—	—	(D)
\$1,000..	430	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	151	9	4	43	548	27
\$1,000..	659	(D)	(D)	25	345 944	6	56
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	2	—	2	—	376	17
\$1,000..	(D)	—	(D)	—	344 879	—	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	10	—	291	—	2	—
\$1,000..	94	—	381 835	—	(D)	—	1
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	247	—	—	(D)
\$1,000..	—	—	380 659	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	11 150	309	291	165	199	34
\$1,000..	215 587	3 156	27 935	589	2 136	105	285
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	646	14	109	2	9	4
\$1,000..	152 015	1 293	25 003	(D)	585	—	251

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>									
Total sales (see text)—Con.									
Hogs and pigs ..... farms.. \$1,000..	971	22	50	14	22	88	10	6	72
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 997	88	159	55	65	1 106	(D)	(D)	892
Sheep, lambs, and wool ..... farms.. \$1,000..	209	3	3	7	3	7	—	—	7
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms.. \$1,000..	288	(D)	(D)	4	2	5	—	—	5
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) ..... farms.. \$1,000..	3 287	15	45	103	44	71	—	3	68
Sales of \$50,000 or more ..... farms.. \$1,000..	146 917	105	64	557	402	432	(D)	(D)	(D)
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 954	15	395	653	108	91	4	6	81
Average per farm ..... dollars..	12 547	19	4 457	5 473	382	756	(D)	(D)	504
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>									
Total farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 785	1 188	1 234	8 303	4 892	2 240	165	226	1 849
Average per farm ..... dollars..	4 384 423	17 567	737 857	1 170 926	922 359	528 024	18 609	30 046	479 369
Livestock and poultry purchased ..... farms.. \$1,000..	6 697	67	151	270	156	429	46	22	361
Farms with expenses of—	145 770	217	2 266	1 960	658	2 395	247	70	2 078
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	4 655	56	103	198	134	338	40	18	280
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 298	9	36	51	15	72	4	4	64
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	498	2	10	19	6	17	2	—	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	151	—	1	2	1	1	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....	95	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	1
Feed for livestock and poultry ..... farms.. \$1,000..	14 829	155	291	627	355	838	80	64	694
Farms with expenses of—	446 861	265	2 116	3 852	1 006	4 851	578	292	3 980
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	12 068	141	234	531	314	673	53	50	570
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 724	13	40	67	34	133	22	11	100
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	490	1	12	24	5	27	4	3	20
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	163	—	4	3	2	4	1	—	3
\$250,000 or more .....	384	—	1	2	—	1	—	—	1
Commercially mixed formula feeds ..... farms.. \$1,000..	8 725	88	173	361	195	516	43	40	433
Farms with expenses of—	333 773	138	969	2 143	659	2 495	284	61	2 151
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	7 060	85	148	313	174	473	35	38	400
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	856	2	18	33	15	30	5	2	23
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	341	1	5	11	4	10	2	—	8
\$100,000 or more .....	468	—	2	4	2	3	1	—	2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees ..... farms.. \$1,000..	9 902	488	1 142	1 773	2 804	1 207	154	226	827
Farms with expenses of—	217 919	1 253	38 459	17 073	98 823	59 922	742	2 370	56 809
\$1 to \$999 .....	5 201	311	418	937	1 085	344	34	35	275
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 235	114	290	503	590	440	68	77	295
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 462	59	191	209	641	286	49	89	148
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	409	3	66	56	204	74	2	20	52
\$50,000 or more .....	595	1	177	68	284	63	1	5	57
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. \$1,000..	23 235	514	1 233	8 284	4 062	2 032	165	226	1 641
Farms with expenses of—	347 559	3 285	61 740	133 152	32 441	89 206	2 908	5 022	81 275
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	17 517	369	692	5 942	3 131	1 225	63	66	1 096
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 971	117	206	1 695	651	514	58	84	372
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	784	16	103	267	139	151	33	54	64
\$50,000 or more .....	963	12	232	380	141	142	11	22	109
Agricultural chemicals ..... farms.. \$1,000..	17 841	402	1 035	7 286	3 643	1 453	153	217	1 083
Farms with expenses of—	350 556	1 856	78 978	168 486	29 267	65 099	1 271	5 684	58 144
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	13 342	329	511	4 866	2 936	891	96	70	725
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 913	60	206	1 669	471	331	48	69	214
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	647	5	85	316	110	110	7	45	58
\$50,000 or more .....	939	8	233	435	126	121	2	33	86
Petroleum products ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 619	760	1 196	6 648	4 223	2 144	165	223	1 756
Farms with expenses of—	131 636	1 348	24 193	29 669	25 019	25 489	2 213	1 796	21 481
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	25 775	714	756	5 777	3 292	1 605	60	97	1 448
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 008	40	245	660	721	436	81	120	235
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	459	4	90	105	129	53	19	5	29
\$50,000 or more .....	377	2	105	106	81	50	5	1	44
Gasoline and gasohol ..... farms.. \$1,000..	20 205	369	909	4 291	3 171	1 382	157	183	1 042
Farms with expenses of—	50 229	333	9 629	12 546	9 031	8 030	437	422	7 171
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	21 549	683	1 054	4 740	2 529	1 954	149	202	1 603
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	60 717	841	12 372	14 269	10 110	12 927	620	1 053	11 254
Natural gas ..... farms.. \$1,000..	394	26	13	55	129	43	5	5	33
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. .... farms.. \$1,000..	2 120	(D)	103	51	1 544	154	25	36	93
See footnotes at end of table.	18 420	428	999	3 992	3 112	1 541	154	190	1 197
	18 570	(D)	2 088	2 804	4 334	4 378	1 131	285	2 962

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>							
Total sales (see text)—Con.							
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	246	6	456	12	10	41
\$1,000..		410	4	5 934	66	21	72
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	20	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	3 438	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	81	1	2	14	7	63
\$1,000..		76	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	165
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	(D)
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	462	19	7	46	42	194
\$1,000..		776	21	6	27	64	816
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	3
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	—	387
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	413	41	11	62	40	34
\$1,000..		716	90	233	125	36	36
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	11 855	261	317	456	504	231
\$1,000..		232 038	4 978	336 261	6 158	307 325	3 304
Average per farm .....	dollars..	19 573	19 071	1 060 760	13 504	609 772	118 698
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	3 397	155	225	226	447	111
\$1,000..		25 005	1 407	33 478	563	51 368	178
Farms with expenses of—							1 063
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 643	112	31	204	109	622
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		610	29	54	19	84	314
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		109	14	55	3	176	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		18	—	50	—	61	86
\$250,000 or more .....		17	—	35	—	17	17
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	8 768	232	317	384	452	212
\$1,000..		40 742	1 056	166 193	1 867	204 209	2 198
Farms with expenses of—							20 252
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 729	178	41	325	109	193
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		803	48	45	50	13	14
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		183	6	47	7	63	5
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		37	—	44	1	55	110
\$250,000 or more .....		16	—	140	1	212	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	4 841	124	290	210	452	128
\$1,000..		20 979	578	90 619	584	203 616	1 347
Farms with expenses of—							10 743
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 295	98	28	190	109	1 038
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		394	20	59	17	14	235
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		123	6	53	2	63	63
\$100,000 or more .....		29	—	150	1	266	11
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	1 832	50	88	118	89	30
\$1,000..		1 531	28	471	81	117	5
Farms with expenses of—							157
\$1 to \$999 .....		1 582	43	26	106	66	30
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		203	7	39	7	16	253
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		42	—	20	5	7	26
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		4	—	2	—	—	2
\$50,000 or more .....		1	—	1	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	5 548	121	176	118	171	93
\$1,000..		20 489	282	4 404	341	893	62
Farms with expenses of—							1 264
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 809	113	81	101	133	93
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		642	8	52	14	26	828
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		66	—	24	2	8	46
\$50,000 or more .....		31	—	19	1	4	1
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	2 719	98	138	126	134	26
\$1,000..		4 081	65	1 572	120	361	781
Farms with expenses of—							664
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		2 584	98	99	120	119	26
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		112	—	31	6	11	763
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		13	—	4	—	3	16
\$50,000 or more .....		10	—	4	—	1	1
Petroleum products .....	farms..	10 271	226	306	402	474	208
\$1,000..		12 410	246	4 040	451	3 909	107
Farms with expenses of—							2 761
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		9 825	211	149	386	271	202
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		407	15	118	16	188	2 587
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		31	—	26	—	10	156
\$50,000 or more .....		8	—	13	—	5	11
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	6 883	165	240	270	384	139
\$1,000..		5 852	116	1 361	225	592	2 002
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	7 631	143	281	270	346	76
\$1,000..		5 469	97	2 118	155	609	2 437
Natural gas .....	farms..	49	5	16	18	10	1 803
\$1,000..		30	3	54	27	111	1 724
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	5 588	149	285	237	404	29
\$1,000..		1 058	30	506	43	2 597	33
							1 628
							562

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							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>									
—Con.									
Total farm production expenses—Con.									
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	393 281	847 6 892	5 114 9 984	3 911 13 141	1 339 6 022	137 721	161 352	1 041 4 948
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	332	432	3 550	2 128	878	27	90	761
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	51	206	1 227	1 248	322	60	54	208
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	10	151	289	470	121	47	15	59
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	—	31	28	41	10	3	2	5
\$50,000 or more .....	133	—	27	20	24	8	—	—	8
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	187 1 103	726 199 791	3 313 167 993	2 776 369 085	937 86 669	125 2 694	134 3 493	678 80 482
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	163	214	1 814	758	441	51	10	380
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	14	133	700	676	266	37	80	149
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	7	142	481	734	161	34	38	89
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	2	93	161	306	38	2	6	30
\$250,000 or more .....	716	1	144	157	302	31	1	—	30
Workers by days worked:									
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	6 515 50 085	76 117	533 9 970	1 564 10 923	2 033 19 176	401 2 895	27 105	68 136	306 2 654
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	10 419 74 884	181 370	621 24 932	2 882 17 445	2 036 15 360	839 5 219	122 1 017	107 380	610 3 822
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 481 477 373	60 94	499 99 134	3 556 285 425	1 221 56 744	485 27 044	56 1 095	69 917	360 25 032
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	29	39	508	226	99	—	12	87
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	26	130	1 087	366	212	20	32	160
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	4	107	1 063	344	86	15	13	58
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	1	37	319	79	40	15	9	16
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	—	186	579	206	48	6	3	39
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	24 621 195 760	632 2 141	1 118 34 857	5 184 43 108	3 846 40 345	1 849 26 618	150 1 469	203 2 065	1 496 23 084
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	529	620	4 073	2 614	1 264	73	102	1 089
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	91	278	824	904	469	66	81	322
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	6	71	128	176	63	9	17	37
\$50,000 or more .....	651	6	149	159	152	53	2	3	48
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 081 99 207	208 757	446 13 123	2 437 57 330	919 8 700	610 8 909	62 451	102 752	446 7 706
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	82	123	847	310	184	8	22	154
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	82	152	877	403	228	27	39	162
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	40	94	434	155	159	24	37	98
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	2	29	105	26	15	2	2	11
\$50,000 or more .....	302	2	48	174	25	24	1	2	21
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	264 1 042	638 31 425	2 243 86 111	1 742 36 498	1 004 39 110	105 1 221	152 2 300	747 35 589
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	204	267	1 067	923	534	49	64	421
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	55	200	782	525	320	48	55	217
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	5	102	252	236	112	8	32	72
\$100,000 or more .....	363	—	69	142	58	38	—	1	37
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 671 175 286	178 749	393 19 391	1 909 75 582	1 233 25 890	680 20 539	75 869	105 1 468	500 18 202
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	55	37	234	130	72	2	—	70
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	74	133	633	477	267	25	30	212
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	46	118	688	416	258	41	53	164
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	2	33	116	100	41	2	20	19
\$50,000 or more .....	571	1	72	238	110	42	5	2	35
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 034 62 250	101 294	380 12 035	594 10 529	724 10 607	574 18 571	62 352	117 832	395 17 386
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	59	73	137	168	179	11	25	143
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	28	104	221	273	210	27	50	133
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	12	112	175	180	117	23	35	59
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	—	35	25	65	29	—	5	24
\$50,000 or more .....	204	2	56	36	38	39	1	2	36
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 277 56 025	149 608	471 17 589	260 5 737	621 9 034	591 13 820	50 600	130 1 628	411 11 592
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	118	251	171	377	362	28	54	280
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	20	50	26	83	45	4	6	35
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	5	40	32	81	118	13	57	48
\$25,000 or more .....	383	6	130	31	80	66	5	13	48
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	32 866 136 457	1 139 1 881	1 072 10 565	8 135 43 262	4 396 16 240	2 167 28 756	165 442	217 588	1 785 27 725
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	1 093	866	6 833	3 715	1 952	138	196	1 618
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	28	50	661	377	106	22	9	75
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	15	72	382	219	41	4	10	27
\$25,000 or more .....	648	3	84	259	85	68	1	2	65
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 438 561 134	781 1 437	1 165 116 730	7 020 117 783	4 542 185 359	1 897 44 116	165 1 956	210 2 715	1 522 39 444
Farms with expenses of—									
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	739	704	5 437	2 788	1 386	91	89	1 206
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	35	169	1 043	949	356	51	95	210
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	5	70	202	260	61	15	10	36
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	1	64	146	211	43	6	12	25
\$100,000 or more .....	905	1	158	192	334	51	2	4	45

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>							
—Con.							
Total farm production expenses—Con.							
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	6 180 4 001	160 83	311 7 085	297 182	458 4 059	161 98	2 232 3 194
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	5 446	149	64	240	118	150	1 595
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	629	6	51	53	184	6	522
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	97	5	118	4	129	5	96
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	4	—	47	—	13	—	14
\$50,000 or more .....	4	—	31	—	14	—	5
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 633 25 194	57 221	238 48 488	62 555	268 6 927	30 59	972 19 522
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 180	42	10	51	115	24	691
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	278	15	49	4	104	6	136
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	134	—	72	6	34	—	109
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	31	—	54	1	11	—	22
\$250,000 or more .....	10	—	53	—	4	—	14
Workers by days worked:							
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	954 2 081	33 34	217 2 409	21 42	167 885	12 22	504 1 531
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	2 456 6 138	42 94	157 1 726	60 100	224 1 080	30 69	891 2 351
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	975 3 783	13 30	86 1 354	33 55	90 2 115	21 34	442 1 562
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	489	5	10	23	13	5	166
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	398	8	34	9	37	16	207
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	63	—	29	—	24	—	63
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	—	6	1	5	—	3
\$50,000 or more .....	11	—	7	—	11	—	3
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	8 002 17 968	186 319	310 13 158	302 529	468 5 976	175 543	2 549 10 197
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	7 314	165	113	276	270	155	2 097
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	617	21	99	25	149	13	387
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	47	—	31	1	31	7	42
\$50,000 or more .....	24	—	67	—	18	—	23
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 631 5 022	38 56	146 3 487	43 60	132 803	20 3	451 958
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	979	21	22	28	68	20	255
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	466	17	47	12	37	—	151
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	162	—	49	3	19	—	40
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	16	—	12	—	4	—	4
\$50,000 or more .....	8	—	16	—	4	—	1
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 495 18 948	58 400	238 11 881	84 318	344 5 424	67 244	985 6 135
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 759	26	49	78	137	38	667
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	646	32	92	3	152	29	283
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	72	—	72	3	48	—	29
\$100,000 or more .....	18	—	25	—	7	—	6
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 811 15 490	55 382	193 7 801	79 291	298 4 488	56 194	786 4 489
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	270	8	8	13	16	19	128
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	929	15	43	60	105	15	378
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	542	32	68	5	137	22	256
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	26	—	33	1	26	—	15
\$50,000 or more .....	44	—	41	—	14	—	9
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	972 3 458	12 18	150 4 080	12 27	145 936	11 49	359 1 646
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$999 .....	533	4	12	4	43	—	148
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	291	8	49	6	63	4	155
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	121	—	49	2	28	7	45
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	18	—	23	—	7	—	8
\$50,000 or more .....	9	—	17	—	4	—	3
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 622 4 989	14 36	88 2 154	33 50	58 951	17 2	353 1 056
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 397	12	40	31	37	17	329
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	130	1	10	1	5	—	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	67	—	16	1	5	—	13
\$25,000 or more .....	28	1	22	—	11	—	8
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	11 209 23 913	255 332	307 3 020	443 489	493 1 526	221 193	3 029 6 277
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	10 596	253	196	428	436	220	2 806
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	355	2	53	13	42	1	129
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	170	—	32	2	6	—	68
\$25,000 or more .....	88	—	26	—	9	—	26
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	9 487 23 964	217 416	309 35 475	380 495	479 18 684	181 245	2 980 16 429
Farms with expenses of—							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	8 716	194	81	370	206	173	2 630
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	633	23	77	8	112	8	264
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	77	—	24	2	68	—	35
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	38	—	46	—	55	—	24
\$100,000 or more .....	23	—	81	—	38	—	27

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>									
All farms .....	number..	34 787	1 188	1 234	8 303	4 892	2 240	165	226
\$1,000..	1 573 154	-1 487	446 479	273 979	496 906	229 529	7 455	11 544	1 849
Average per farm .....	dollars..	45 222	-1 252	361 815	32 998	101 575	102 468	45 181	210 530
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	16 344	202	989	3 806	4 112	1 368	135	113 861
Average net gain .....	dollars..	107 434	18 749	463 280	87 428	123 104	174 569	58 668	1 065
Gain of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 351	48	39	452	253	179	6	10
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 250	76	255	1 358	1 218	549	30	27
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 267	61	297	1 236	1 386	339	53	50
\$50,000 or more .....		3 476	17	398	760	1 255	301	46	174
Farms with net losses .....	number..	18 443	986	245	4 497	780	872	30	58
Average net loss .....	dollars..	9 909	5 349	47 773	13 069	11 919	10 644	15 511	784
Loss of—									
Less than \$1,000 .....		3 024	335	23	606	159	147	1	16
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		12 083	569	125	2 756	457	509	23	21
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 970	69	74	1 015	133	201	4	17
\$50,000 or more .....		366	13	23	120	31	15	2	9
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>									
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	802	127	208	108	623	59	136
\$1,000..	11 074	3 107	1 193	596	250	3 264	185	1 428	1 650
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	252	199	992	378	651	68	93
\$1,000..	44 430	1 524	2 315	11 170	5 363	5 545	394	820	4 332
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	62	82	311	173	208	14	23
\$1,000..	17 039	393	1 262	5 525	3 055	1 966	180	397	1 389
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	87	39	278	60	154	13	24
\$1,000..	10 962	434	286	3 040	840	1 590	25	80	1 484
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	61	47	56	68	109	9	8
\$1,000..	9 654	618	444	427	693	1 324	136	137	1 051
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	83	55	435	99	292	43	59
\$1,000..	6 774	79	323	2 178	774	666	53	205	190
									408
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>									
Total .....	farms..	118	23	3	—	—	78	5	25
\$1,000..	1 936	139	(D)	—	—	—	1 759	10	699
Corn .....	farms..	62	19	3	—	—	29	4	2
\$1,000..	138	56	(D)	—	—	—	68	(D)	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	15	5	1	—	—	7	—	1
\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	12	—	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	5	—	—	—	4	—	2
\$1,000..	62	59	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	(D)
Cotton .....	farms..	32	—	—	—	—	32	—	22
\$1,000..	808	—	—	—	—	—	808	—	492
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	2	—	—	—	23	1	3
\$1,000..	900	(D)	—	—	—	—	867	(D)	669
									19
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>									
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	758	1 250	8 245	4 902	2 137	137	202
acres..	3 639 850	108 644	358 067	1 066 653	161 449	988 995	32 293	84 931	871 771
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	499	1 250	8 245	4 902	2 137	137	202
acres..	2 435 702	61 259	298 185	941 609	122 233	795 379	16 235	79 654	699 490
Farms by acres harvested:									
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	276	710	6 265	4 563	1 060	54	28
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	81	117	868	137	335	35	28
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	71	114	433	88	253	24	23
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	47	144	356	65	277	19	66
500 to 999 acres .....		458	15	100	143	31	123	4	41
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	5	37	92	13	44	1	14
2,000 acres or more .....		174	4	28	88	5	45	—	29
Cropland:									
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	216	251	758	313	831	80	52
acres..	895 684	14 792	30 630	73 646	19 905	82 397	12 382	2 592	67 423
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	127	67	112	51	116	13	12
acres..	39 152	10 458	3 046	(D)	1 707	6 124	558	821	91
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	35	89	48	27	70	5	58
acres..	14 457	1 739	3 907	(D)	320	4 851	(D)	4 201	4 201
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	21	26	23	15	49	2	6
acres..	47 061	1 242	650	(D)	328	40 121	(D)	39 826	39 826
Idle .....	farms..	2 816	252	191	711	525	356	39	38
acres..	207 794	19 154	21 649	46 904	16 956	60 123	2 752	1 285	56 086
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	731	309	1 074	563	946	102	87
acres..	2 132 308	149 629	72 683	191 268	92 980	234 305	25 697	24 600	184 008
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	138	115	291	128	361	46	289
acres..	1 091 166	16 590	32 238	93 828	53 501	99 939	8 828	2 569	88 542
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	664	237	854	479	729	81	69
acres..	1 041 142	133 039	40 445	97 440	39 479	134 366	16 869	22 031	95 466

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>							
All farms .....	number..	11 855	261	317	456	506	231
\$1,000..	1 683	-671	75 360	-338	30 990	-1 013	3 304
Average per farm .....	dollars..	142	-2 572	237 730	-741	61 245	21 737
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	4 012	97	270	164	303	6 579
Average net gain .....	dollars..	12 751	10 217	284 403	8 472	127 338	982
Gain of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		1 156	12	—	67	11	111
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		2 156	64	26	74	22	442
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		478	15	80	16	81	272
\$50,000 or more .....		222	6	164	7	189	157
Farms with net losses .....	number..	7 843	164	47	292	203	2 322
Average net loss .....	dollars..	6 308	10 136	30 392	5 916	37 405	6 042
Loss of—							
Less than \$1,000 .....		1 370	35	—	48	30	249
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		5 537	76	34	209	123	1 544
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		861	40	7	33	23	488
\$50,000 or more .....		75	13	6	2	27	41
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>							
Government payments .....	farms..	778	12	48	43	52	11
\$1,000..	1 784	42	217	74	204	3	109
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	1 495	46	101	67	104	339
\$1,000..	11 220	119	1 758	517	1 149	54	443
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	380	4	4	10	27	104
\$1,000..	1 420	28	304	(D)	772	(D)	1 916
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	542	32	12	27	20	164
\$1,000..	3 639	54	154	94	84	6	741
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	303	10	4	8	8	52
\$1,000..	5 423	34	77	42	96	8	469
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	481	3	89	23	69	143
\$1,000..	737	4	1 223	(D)	197	(D)	571
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>							
Total .....	farms..	7	—	—	4	3	—
\$1,000..	26	—	—	—	5	(D)	—
Corn .....	farms..	4	—	—	4	3	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	1	(D)	—
Wheat .....	farms..	—	—	—	2	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	—	—	—	2	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	—
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	3	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>							
Total cropland .....	farms..	7 366	209	225	249	330	1 320
acres..	772 788	9 091	73 409	11 418	25 287	2 635	61 414
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	3 067	74	168	105	211	309
acres..	147 948	1 465	42 713	4 319	11 776	565	8 251
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 49 acres .....		2 357	67	49	82	162	47
50 to 99 acres .....		371	5	32	8	19	2
100 to 199 acres .....		196	2	30	10	17	1
200 to 499 acres .....		115	—	29	5	10	4
500 to 999 acres .....		20	—	21	—	2	3
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		6	—	5	—	1	—
2,000 acres or more .....		2	—	2	—	—	—
Cropland:							
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	6 130	181	141	169	200	118
acres..	580 823	7 308	27 547	5 453	10 361	1 865	1 081
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	203	4	9	12	20	10
acres..	9 160	(D)	560	117	743	98	4 705
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	68	1	4	9	5	3
acres..	2 035	(D)	(D)	132	232	4	(D)
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	85	1	2	7	9	2
acres..	2 290	(D)	(D)	78	212	—	(D)
Idle .....	farms..	513	14	16	41	63	124
acres..	30 532	163	2 291	1 319	1 963	103	6 637
Total woodland .....	farms..	4 042	91	124	148	201	579
acres..	1 239 355	7 966	36 087	6 227	20 416	6 903	74 489
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	2 584	62	68	74	43	220
acres..	750 234	3 469	15 238	1 792	8 858	713	14 766
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	2 199	45	86	98	160	49
acres..	489 121	4 497	20 849	4 435	11 558	6 190	59 723

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>									
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	8 495 4 069 927	147 13 527	152 74 486	671 516 704	282 58 895	405 128 156	37 5 337	34 6 690	334 116 129
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	18 528 612 132	645 25 331	666 40 990	3 617 137 822	2 705 35 070	1 271 86 968	109 4 218	119 3 635	1 043 79 115
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	12 673 1 862 404	62 11 658	892 254 676	6 210 859 623	4 079 89 441	434 505 820	86 9 572	26 13 073	322 483 175
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	12 202 1 729 449	56 11 508	889 247 654	6 200 851 626	4 065 84 999	427 497 353	84 (D)	26 (D)	317 475 023
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	745 132 955	10 150	28 7 022	69 7 997	125 4 442	25 8 467	5 (D)	1 (D)	19 8 152
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	1 624 125 878	671 62 932	49 2 709	101 4 801	52 1 520	227 15 047	25 2 064	37 2 739	165 10 244
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>									
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 787 23 047 695	1 188 418 808	1 234 1 350 708	8 303 6 787 364	4 892 2 081 978	2 240 3 416 320	165 104 857	226 174 529	1 849 3 136 933
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	352 532	1 094 577	817 459	425 588	1 525 143	635 499	772 254	1 696 557
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	1 418	2 545	3 665	6 040	2 400	1 453	1 437	2 551
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$39,999.....	3 876	117	141	847	652	117	8	10	99
\$40,000 to \$69,999.....	3 559	131	78	756	574	196	15	28	153
\$70,000 to \$99,999.....	3 014	139	112	735	422	179	6	3	170
\$100,000 to \$149,999.....	4 566	242	112	1 081	575	258	7	14	237
\$150,000 to \$199,999.....	3 577	134	81	732	540	229	15	14	200
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	9 404	268	303	2 425	1 270	633	58	74	501
\$500,000 to \$999,999.....	3 411	76	127	897	474	343	27	35	281
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999.....	1 611	45	131	352	190	157	20	34	103
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999.....	1 138	29	93	257	153	71	7	13	51
\$5,000,000 or more.....	631	7	56	221	42	57	2	1	54
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	34 786 1 421 654	1 188 33 550	1 234 182 781	8 303 376 322	4 892 256 338	2 240 166 562	165 19 038	226 28 406	1 849 119 119
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$4,999.....	6 239	183	121	1 496	892	247	6	8	233
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	7 040	221	149	1 478	812	164	19	5	140
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	7 275	332	150	2 040	773	383	5	27	351
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	8 371	284	289	1 867	1 166	682	32	36	614
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	3 203	110	200	730	694	390	32	65	293
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	1 683	50	160	408	341	234	42	54	138
\$200,000 to \$499,999.....	685	4	91	207	158	96	24	18	54
\$500,000 or more.....	290	4	74	77	56	44	5	13	26
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>									
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	27 590 54 030	808 1 367	1 139 4 451	5 898 13 429	4 280 9 953	1 871 3 992	165 392	211 519	1 495 3 081
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	28 305 51 110	1 055 1 656	1 075 3 735	6 388 12 893	3 548 7 548	2 016 4 466	138 367	200 522	1 678 3 577
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	16 078 20 900	576 685	598 1 006	3 806 5 071	2 533 4 123	861 1 084	73 103	108 134	680 847
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	16 943 30 210	655 971	767 2 729	3 754 7 822	1 725 3 425	1 606 3 382	109 264	160 388	1 337 2 730
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	15 680 25 210	619 786	708 1 894	3 560 6 851	1 646 3 042	1 506 2 568	107 197	141 217	1 258 2 154
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	3 067 5 000	121 185	264 835	507 971	237 383	469 814	47 67	88 171	334 576
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	648 773	106 128	42 53	14 14	8 15	250 315	37 47	59 71	154 197
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	249 325	3 5	12 21	— —	— —	234 299	2 (D)	157 200	75 (D)
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	5 327 6 241	129 155	256 292	1 204 1 413	394 455	564 695	29 40	19 22	516 633
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	2 056 2 612	37 41	69 89	83 108	42 49	618 908	9 13	23 24	586 871
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>									
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 087 2 939 310	514 56 341	1 234 305 852	8 285 969 848	3 930 105 166	2 032 774 312	165 21 421	226 77 262	1 641 675 629
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—									
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 714 1 596 677	193 24 339	907 236 897	5 122 830 694	2 579 58 848	1 012 391 030	128 6 960	167 54 548	717 329 522
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 128 285 104	49 8 659	357 121 258	960 82 614	371 9 051	339 59 537	88 5 055	61 16 086	190 38 396
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	7 246 1 033 768	60 5 621	3 997 192 586	1 779 558 634	529 39 260	80 223 917	102 4 219	347 22 184	347 197 514
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	10 491 1 494 432	220 26 674	544 179 981	4 889 598 653	2 041 73 319	1 037 480 512	93 7 936	169 67 014	775 405 562
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 041 116 751	24 2 678	95 19 111	461 27 636	122 1 145	308 60 713	53 1 837	130 34 934	125 23 942

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>							
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	5 088 3 123 280	93 18 353	173 65 330	148 9 825	158 10 809	99 4 045	1 079 46 517
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	6 152 223 680	156 2 750	225 18 259	310 2 695	437 10 452	160 768	2 184 27 347
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	604 116 592	23 890	62 14 082	30 1 200	55 2 447	24 84	198 5 891
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	371 20 085	10 25	50 12 030	23 1 091	44 2 400	13 33	54 645
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	265 96 507	16 865	23 2 052	7 109	13 47	12 51	152 5 246
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	395 28 413	7 588	13 1 337	16 777	26 1 466	8 51	59 6 237
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of land and buildings..... farms.. \$1,000..	11 855 7 385 503	261 66 600	317 357 512	456 78 155	506 194 359	231 47 862	3 304 862 525
Average per farm ..... dollars..	622 986	255 172	1 127 798	171 392	384 109	207 194	261 055
Average per acre ..... dollars..	1 399	1 751	1 858	2 394	3 140	3 580	3 919
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	1 209	16	9	104	31	28	605
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	1 232	32	6	77	35	21	421
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	38	9	51	47	46	305
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	1 688	46	25	63	45	43	388
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 249	41	8	58	68	24	413
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	3 167	61	90	72	184	61	870
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	1 126	23	81	18	59	—	187
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	593	1	47	11	25	7	52
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	435	1	33	2	9	—	55
\$5,000,000 or more .....	225	2	9	—	3	1	8
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	11 854 237 719	261 4 172	317 45 161	456 7 212	506 30 032	231 4 303	3 304 77 501
Farms by value group:							
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 480	58	24	118	59	47	514
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	3 097	78	20	114	35	72	800
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	2 526	39	40	119	119	45	709
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	2 740	73	60	85	172	35	918
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	665	11	56	15	71	25	236
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	270	2	64	3	33	7	111
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	68	—	34	1	11	—	15
\$500,000 or more .....	8	—	19	1	6	—	1
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>							
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	9 238 13 283	202 318	291 960	373 573	471 1 090	194 265	2 825 4 349
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	10 261 14 625	215 322	304 973	344 474	445 752	184 221	2 470 3 445
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	5 342 6 149	90 107	126 154	218 270	246 295	112 124	1 570 1 832
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	6 257 8 476	151 215	263 819	159 204	278 457	91 97	1 237 1 613
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	5 660 7 230	141 189	249 624	141 (D)	263 406	90 (D)	1 097 1 354
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	1 032 1 246	26 195	103 (D)	24 51	44 (D)	1 239	239 259
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	148 161	14 14	15 18	9 11	13 15	6 6	23 23
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	2 122 2 421	45 45	79 103	39 40	77 81	41 41	377 500
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	970 1 134	30 35	67 85	2 (D)	64 83	2 (D)	72 76
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>							
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	5 537 614 872	121 4 426	176 59 773	118 4 839	171 13 218	93 1 159	876 29 504
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—							
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	617 33 513	21 245	62 15 387	47 1 152	63 3 426	16 81	75 1 065
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	15 1 749	— —	8 1 272	9 107	11 776	7 (D)	2 (D)
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	202 9 249	1 (D)	17 2 962	20 328	14 989	— —	26 (D)
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 178 98 448	70 3 060	74 19 026	39 2 138	83 4 274	15 217	301 8 130
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	23 3 745	— —	4 (D)	— —	4 (D)	— —	— —

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)			
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>										
All operators .....	34 799	1 118	1 250	8 245	4 902	2 137	137	202	1 798	
Full owners .....	26 962	908	613	7 663	3 905	1 298	66	74	1 158	
Part owners .....	5 492	171	394	440	439	697	61	102	534	
Tenants .....	2 345	39	243	142	558	142	10	26	106	
White .....	33 481	1 064	1 097	8 047	4 701	2 040	119	198	1 723	
Full owners .....	26 043	870	550	7 477	3 753	1 250	54	70	1 126	
Part owners .....	5 230	159	348	434	418	654	56	102	496	
Tenants .....	2 208	35	199	136	530	136	9	26	101	
Black and other races .....	1 318	54	153	198	201	97	18	4	75	
Full owners .....	919	38	63	186	152	48	12	4	32	
Part owners .....	262	12	46	6	21	43	5	—	38	
Tenants .....	137	4	44	6	28	6	1	—	5	
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>										
Land owned .....	farms..	32 502	1 079	1 014	8 111	4 350	1 997	127	176	1 694
acres..	8 310 743	289 968	320 354	2 036 827	266 106	1 246 315	52 356	73 405	1 120 554	
Owned land in farms .....	farms..	32 454	1 079	1 007	8 103	4 344	1 995	127	176	1 692
acres..	7 648 772	258 723	314 301	1 764 800	255 666	1 118 038	51 741	70 846	995 451	
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	7 895	214	638	587	1 002	843	71	128	644
acres..	2 851 242	38 871	235 596	155 537	97 045	325 661	15 804	49 099	260 758	
landlords..	15 172	540	1 811	920	1 349	2 703	149	661	1 893	
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 837	210	637	582	997	839	71	128	640
acres..	2 805 445	38 408	231 925	147 647	92 728	320 386	15 804	49 010	255 572	
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	2 406	195	117	454	189	203	10	19	174
acres..	707 768	31 708	9 724	279 917	14 757	133 552	615	2 648	130 289	
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>										
Operators by place of residence:										
On farm operated .....		21 333	560	667	3 711	2 646	1 466	103	128	1 235
Not on farm operated .....		10 106	418	453	3 797	1 709	448	21	39	388
Not reported .....		3 360	140	130	737	547	223	13	35	175
Operators by principal occupation:										
Farming .....		15 782	348	848	3 512	2 771	1 191	103	160	928
Other .....		19 017	770	402	4 733	2 131	946	34	42	870
Operators by days worked off farm:										
None .....		14 054	450	641	3 374	2 546	909	85	112	712
Any .....		18 337	588	497	4 412	1 917	1 019	40	62	917
1 to 99 days .....		2 407	68	90	620	323	157	9	13	135
100 to 199 days .....		2 778	64	124	617	324	175	9	9	157
200 days or more .....		13 152	456	283	3 175	1 270	687	22	40	625
Not reported .....		2 408	80	112	459	439	209	12	28	169
Operators by years on present farm:										
2 years or less .....		1 924	56	108	289	336	95	2	10	83
3 or 4 years .....		2 802	54	125	467	482	141	3	11	127
5 to 9 years .....		5 431	110	160	1 329	988	279	11	19	249
10 years or more .....		18 327	606	568	4 845	2 432	1 189	91	105	993
Average years on present farm .....		17.3	22.2	16.7	18.7	13.2	19.7	27.2	21.0	19.0
Not reported .....		6 315	292	289	1 315	664	433	30	57	346
Operators by age group:										
Under 25 years .....		150	3	20	14	17	14	1	6	7
25 to 34 years .....		1 493	35	103	226	253	104	7	21	76
35 to 44 years .....		5 664	138	227	1 062	1 137	363	25	49	289
45 to 49 years .....		4 111	118	187	793	798	229	14	15	200
50 to 54 years .....		4 518	141	146	943	677	296	21	24	251
55 to 59 years .....		4 356	122	155	899	633	309	24	23	262
60 to 64 years .....		3 937	120	144	959	492	253	15	28	210
65 to 69 years .....		3 802	135	115	1 037	400	210	10	15	185
70 years and over .....		6 768	306	153	2 312	495	369	20	21	318
Average age .....		56.5	59.5	52.9	60.0	52.5	55.5	54.5	51.0	56.1
Operators by sex:										
Male .....		29 415	900	1 160	6 986	4 120	1 958	128	195	1 635
Female .....		5 384	218	90	1 259	782	179	9	7	163
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....		1 060	11	72	238	270	35	1	—	34
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>										
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ....	farms..	27 173	991	910	5 694	2 887	1 817	116	174	1 527
acres..	4 473 744	213 596	191 353	463 530	106 638	553 553	47 067	85 866	420 620	
Partnership .....	farms..	2 716	79	110	1 060	311	144	16	19	109
acres..	1 614 276	44 391	105 389	381 049	32 681	134 899	15 242	13 426	106 231	
Corporation:										
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	29	178	1 141	1 409	136	3	8	125
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	3 021 393	25 520	159 255	847 170	177 891	303 581	(D)	(D)	279 166
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	157	1	6	74	19	19	—	1	18
Other than family held .....	farms..	3 724	28	172	1 067	1 390	117	3	7	107
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	635	5	38	179	265	21	1	—	20
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	1 065 642	3 723	(D)	194 107	29 794	399 359	(D)	—	(D)
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc., .....	farms..	394	14	14	171	30	19	1	1	17
acres..	279 162	9 901	(D)	26 591	1 390	47 032	(D)	(D)	(D)	

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>							
All operators .....	12 040	309	296	468	560	272	3 202
Full owners .....	8 566	238	183	356	461	235	2 536
Part owners .....	2 668	55	86	79	75	28	360
Tenants .....	806	16	27	33	24	9	306
White .....	11 624	298	289	380	548	251	3 142
Full owners .....	8 286	231	180	290	450	218	2 488
Part owners .....	2 563	53	82	66	74	24	355
Tenants .....	775	14	27	24	24	9	299
Black and other races .....	416	11	7	88	12	21	60
Full owners .....	280	7	3	66	11	17	48
Part owners .....	105	2	4	13	1	4	5
Tenants .....	31	2	—	9	—	—	7
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>							
Land owned .....	farms.. 11 248	295	269	439	537	263	2 900
acres.. 3 688 779		22 151	167 692	25 543	55 203	13 995	177 810
Owned land in farms .....	farms.. 11 234	293	269	435	536	263	2 896
acres.. 3 495 039		20 650	161 748	24 391	53 221	13 587	168 608
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms.. 3 505	71	113	113	99	37	673
acres.. 1 884 096		19 546	31 337	5 998	13 747	1 904	41 904
landlords.. 6 284		117	204	157	159	40	888
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms.. 3 474	71	113	112	99	37	666
acres.. 1 864 064		17 510	31 337	5 774	13 743	764	41 159
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms.. 975	20	17	29	29	19	159
acres.. 213 772		3 537	5 944	1 376	1 986	1 548	9 947
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated .....	8 352	235	189	361	458	235	2 453
Not on farm operated .....	2 603	52	66	67	65	16	412
Not reported .....	1 085	22	41	40	37	21	337
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming .....	4 655	127	247	163	357	86	1 477
Other .....	7 385	182	49	305	203	186	1 725
Operators by days worked off farm:							
None .....	4 108	113	201	146	280	77	1 209
Any .....	7 117	180	58	297	240	180	1 832
1 to 99 days .....	784	30	13	21	37	12	252
100 to 199 days .....	988	32	11	37	44	34	328
200 days or more .....	5 345	118	34	239	159	134	1 252
Not reported .....	815	16	37	25	40	15	161
Operators by years on present farm:							
2 years or less .....	612	11	12	39	43	22	301
3 or 4 years .....	960	20	14	54	56	36	393
5 to 9 years .....	1 623	47	42	71	104	57	621
10 years or more .....	6 473	168	152	199	281	121	1 293
Average years on present farm .....	18.8	18.1	19.4	14.7	15.2	13.5	12.2
Not reported .....	2 372	63	76	105	76	36	594
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years .....	59	3	—	2	4	—	14
25 to 34 years .....	476	5	18	39	36	10	188
35 to 44 years .....	1 647	49	44	92	116	55	734
45 to 49 years .....	1 204	26	37	66	103	34	516
50 to 54 years .....	1 544	29	36	64	70	46	526
55 to 59 years .....	1 556	35	54	67	76	41	409
60 to 64 years .....	1 420	40	38	59	80	37	295
65 to 69 years .....	1 510	46	30	31	34	20	234
70 years and over .....	2 624	76	39	48	41	29	286
Average age .....	57.8	59.3	55.0	52.5	51.7	54.1	51.7
Operators by sex:							
Male .....	10 448	270	278	399	464	214	2 218
Female .....	1 592	39	18	69	96	58	984
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	244	8	20	14	28	13	107
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>							
Individual or family (sole proprietorship) ....	farms.. 10 651	277	162	434	465	261	2 624
acres.. 2 652 884		28 704	47 010	25 636	50 085	7 142	133 613
Partnership .....	farms.. 732	20	34	13	42	3	168
acres.. 856 460		4 394	17 135	(D)	8 372	(D)	28 713
Corporation:							
Family held .....	farms.. 488	4	89	13	40	7	347
acres.. 1 334 412		(D)	(D)	915	7 334	(D)	28 147
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 29	—	4	—	3	—	2
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 459	4	85	13	37	7	345
Other than family held .....	farms.. 51	—	8	5	12	1	50
acres.. 380 381		(D)	1 486	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms.. 6	—	1	—	1	—	—
10 or less stockholders .....	farms.. 45	—	7	5	11	1	50
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms.. 118	8	3	3	3	1	13
acres.. 134 966		(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)			
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)	
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>										
Farm-related injuries:										
Operator and family members .....	199	5	17	19	22	10	—	—	10	
farms..	238	6	17	23	29	14	—	—	14	
number..										
Hired workers .....	588	2	73	108	227	20	2	—	18	
farms..										
number..	1 531	(D)	300	228	590	89	(D)	—	(D)	
Farm-related deaths:										
Operator and family members .....	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
farms..	(D)				(D)					
number..	6	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	
Hired workers .....	6	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>										
1 to 9 acres .....	7 394	19	187	1 996	2 603	60	4	1	55	
10 to 49 acres .....	12 750	208	344	3 465	1 601	504	16	16	472	
50 to 69 acres .....	2 206	106	62	555	172	140	1	7	132	
70 to 99 acres .....	2 388	164	69	524	113	199	8	12	179	
100 to 139 acres .....	1 984	131	78	380	112	178	6	18	154	
140 to 179 acres .....	1 354	114	46	217	64	152	12	10	130	
180 to 219 acres .....	949	56	40	160	51	97	7	6	84	
220 to 259 acres .....	671	49	38	111	27	75	11	4	60	
260 to 499 acres .....	2 067	138	138	323	56	309	33	51	225	
500 to 999 acres .....	1 390	81	119	204	50	221	22	47	152	
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....	802	35	75	142	30	108	12	22	74	
2,000 acres or more .....	844	17	54	168	23	94	5	8	81	
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>										
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....	1 118	1 118	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....	1 250	—	1 250	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....	8 245	—	—	8 245	—	—	—	—	—	
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....	4 902	—	—	—	4 902	—	—	—	—	
Other crop farming (1119) .....	2 137	—	—	—	—	2 137	137	202	1 798	
Tobacco farming (11191) .....	137	—	—	—	—	137	137	—	—	
Cotton farming (11192) .....	202	—	—	—	—	202	—	202	—	
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....	1 798	—	—	—	—	1 798	—	—	1 798	
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....	12 040	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....	309	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....	296	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....	468	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....	560	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....	272	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....	3 202	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>										
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	15 849	7 161	295	856	300	892	79	51	762	
number..	1 808 900	7 518	57 167	179 334	22 224	104 826	11 142	3 739	89 945	
Farms with—										
1 to 9 .....	3 578	52	56	247	119	134	4	3	127	
10 to 49 .....	7 493	73	107	308	124	376	18	16	342	
50 to 99 .....	2 060	22	40	103	21	173	21	20	132	
100 to 199 .....	1 190	8	31	67	20	113	16	10	87	
200 to 499 .....	891	4	39	61	9	66	16	1	49	
500 or more .....	637	2	22	70	7	30	4	1	25	
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	13 930	143	259	728	241	798	76	48	674	
farms..	1 162 686	4 420	37 867	110 141	14 882	64 122	6 701	2 307	55 114	
number..									671	
Beef cows .....	13 600	143	(D)	110 126	14 869	793	74	48	55 071	
Farms with—										
1 to 9 .....	4 552	69	66	219	107	163	2	3	158	
10 to 49 .....	5 878	58	90	274	86	365	26	28	311	
50 to 99 .....	1 448	7	34	79	21	143	19	14	110	
100 to 199 .....	790	4	28	56	13	67	18	2	47	
200 to 499 .....	599	5	25	50	4	41	9	1	31	
500 or more .....	333	—	14	48	6	14	—	—	14	
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	3	7	4	13	3	1	9	
number..	159 614	(D)	(D)	15	13	150	(D)	(D)	43	
Farms with—										
1 to 4 .....	314	2	6	7	3	5	—	—	5	
5 to 9 .....	57	—	—	—	1	6	3	—	3	
10 to 49 .....	65	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	
50 to 99 .....	31	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	
100 to 199 .....	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
200 to 499 .....	73	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500 or more .....	98	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms..	11 905	127	227	622	199	706	68	42	596
number..	370 425	1 772	9 743	35 555	4 559	24 327	2 421	871	21 035	
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	125	247	697	235	776	76	44	656
number..	275 789	1 326	9 557	33 638	2 783	16 377	2 020	561	13 796	

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129)
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>							
Farm-related injuries:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	62	6	5	7	4	40
number..		71	6	5	8	(D)	53
Hired workers .....	farms..	39	—	1	14	—	68
number..		51	—	(D)	32	—	123
Farm-related deaths:							
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	3	—	—	—	—	1
number..		(D)	—	—	—	—	(D)
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>							
1 to 9 acres .....		992	66	5	159	96	83
10 to 49 acres .....		4 414	140	32	200	227	152
50 to 69 acres .....		890	21	14	22	40	11
70 to 99 acres .....		1 083	14	16	22	51	9
100 to 139 acres .....		916	12	26	14	32	9
140 to 179 acres .....		623	9	31	18	21	3
180 to 219 acres .....		466	10	22	3	17	2
220 to 259 acres .....		315	7	10	7	13	1
260 to 499 acres .....		914	17	57	13	40	18
500 to 999 acres .....		614	8	41	6	13	61
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		369	1	26	3	7	33
2,000 acres or more .....		444	4	16	1	3	6
							19
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>							
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crop farming (1119) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton farming (11192) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		12 040	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		—	309	—	—	—	—
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		—	—	296	—	—	—
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		—	—	—	468	—	—
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		—	—	—	—	560	—
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		—	—	—	—	—	272
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		—	—	—	—	—	3 202
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	11 680	303	291	233	249	92	497
number..	1 167 212	9 639	229 198	5 435	14 550	2 432	9 365
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	2 299	101	5	118	65	75	307
10 to 49 .....	5 966	147	37	94	99	13	149
50 to 99 .....	1 572	35	15	9	40	2	28
100 to 199 .....	843	13	45	8	33	—	9
200 to 499 .....	622	7	69	3	9	1	1
500 or more .....	378	—	120	1	3	1	3
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	10 404	247	291	186	214	61
number..	740 522	5 085	167 253	3 057	8 817	1 211	358
Beef cows .....	farms..	10 346	245	68	183	208	5309
number..	739 078	5 050	9 574	3 019	8 783	1 202	337
Farms with—							
1 to 9 .....	3 355	121	8	125	57	46	216
10 to 49 .....	4 625	97	30	45	97	9	102
50 to 99 .....	1 078	16	18	9	31	—	12
100 to 199 .....	586	10	3	2	16	1	4
200 to 499 .....	457	1	5	2	7	—	2
500 or more .....	245	—	4	—	—	1	1
Milk cows .....	farms..	263	11	291	13	15	6
number..	1 444	35	157 679	38	34	9	33
Farms with—							
1 to 4 .....	220	8	2	10	14	6	31
5 to 9 .....	39	3	3	3	—	—	2
10 to 49 .....	3	—	59	—	1	—	—
50 to 99 .....	—	—	29	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....	—	—	28	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....	—	—	73	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....	1	—	97	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves .....	farms..	8 905	215	217	142	197	57
number..	231 402	2 350	53 396	1 246	3 336	646	291
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	10 194	265	209	188	214	71
number..	195 288	2 204	8 549	1 132	2 397	575	353
							1 963

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Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Total	Other crop farming (1119)		
							Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>									
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	14 600	133	271	708	225	830	81	50
number..	869 219	3 893	23 553	68 307	11 207	43 314	4 419	1 718	699
\$1,000..	301 660	793	8 107	22 739	3 813	15 612	1 478	557	37 177
Calves .....	farms..	12 649	101	233	641	193	694	67	582
number..	572 171	2 936	17 729	49 691	8 614	25 031	2 862	1 403	20 766
\$1,000..	150 127	380	5 012	13 375	2 732	6 889	776	391	5 722
Cattle .....	farms..	7 390	65	136	296	114	442	48	367
number..	297 048	957	5 824	18 616	2 593	18 283	1 557	315	16 411
\$1,000..	151 533	413	3 095	9 364	1 081	8 723	702	166	7 855
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	578	12	11	12	7	30	2	25
number..	5 922	33	199	214	21	330	(D)	(D)	298
\$1,000..	3 955	22	145	148	22	234	(D)	(D)	214
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	1 431	33	56	35	42	113	15	92
number..	50 309	996	1 434	296	451	6 996	925	329	5 742
Farms with—									
1 to 24 .....		1 118	21	40	34	39	57	10	45
25 to 49 .....		132	6	7	—	—	14	2	11
50 to 99 .....		80	4	7	1	1	21	2	17
100 to 199 .....		53	—	1	—	2	13	—	12
200 to 499 .....		33	2	1	—	—	6	—	6
500 or more .....		15	—	—	—	—	2	1	1
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	802	21	31	16	15	81	12	65
number..	9 062	190	206	94	54	1 162	103	50	1 009
Other .....	farms..	1 303	31	56	29	38	101	15	80
number..	41 247	806	1 228	202	397	5 834	822	279	4 733
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	971	22	50	14	22	88	10	6
number..	96 512	907	2 062	503	655	11 271	1 145	805	9 321
\$1,000..	7 997	88	159	55	65	1 106	(D)	(D)	892
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	189	7	13	3	3	11	1	10
number..	36 635	194	809	35	(D)	898	(D)	(D)	(D)
\$1,000..	1 394	8	20	1	(D)	21	(D)	(D)	(D)
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	857	21	33	18	15	82	12	4
number..	12 427	198	280	71	60	1 444	146	72	1 226
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	766	20	30	14	14	76	12	3
number..	6 389	103	140	37	35	736	79	32	625
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	651	16	25	13	9	71	10	4
number..	6 038	95	140	34	25	708	67	40	601
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	336	3	6	15	14	9	—	9
number..	5 722	46	162	106	103	195	—	—	195
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	209	2	2	7	10	9	—	9
number..	2 512	(D)	(D)	70	57	115	—	—	115
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	187	2	3	6	3	7	—	7
number..	4 071	(D)	41	77	(D)	74	—	—	74
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	121	2	1	4	—	7	—	7
number..	2 611	(D)	(D)	67	—	129	—	—	129
pounds of wool..	13 992	(D)	(D)	358	—	721	—	—	721
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	6 791	32	92	319	185	327	13	5
number..	54 878	168	404	1 293	874	1 742	46	13	309
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	1 720	2	8	23	13	40	—	40
number..	8 235	(D)	26	109	22	92	—	—	92
Goats inventory .....	farms..	1 287	16	25	74	48	54	—	3
number..	24 209	(D)	472	875	652	568	—	23	51
Goats sold .....	farms..	574	8	15	28	9	15	—	15
number..	13 122	62	202	377	93	103	—	—	103
<b>POULTRY</b>									
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	1 203	11	39	64	59	41	3	38
number..	12 605 047	(D)	1 231	1 239	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 399 .....		1 104	11	39	64	57	40	3	37
number..		4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 3,199 .....		10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		22	—	—	—	2	1	—	1
10,000 to 19,999 .....		33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	1 157	11	39	61	58	38	3	35
number..	11 608 529	289	983	1 116	(D)	(D)	70	—	(D)
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	237	2	10	8	4	6	1	5
number..	996 518	(D)	248	123	56	56	(D)	—	(D)
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	267	1	5	10	6	9	1	8
number..	8 180 675	(D)	323	237	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	321	3	5	2	1	1	1	—
number..	105 967 210	—	212	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms with—									
1 to 1,999 .....		45	—	3	4	2	—	—	—
number..		10	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
2,000 to 59,999 .....		22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		244	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	165	2	7	6	8	6	—	6
number..	732	(D)	16	21	14	25	—	—	25
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	52	—	1	4	2	2	—	2
number..	783	—	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>							
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	11 150	309	291	165	199	34
number..	600 577	6 315	99 732	1 707	6 550	367	285
\$1,000..	215 587	3 156	27 935	589	2 136	105	3 697
Calves .....	farms..	9 803	196	239	123	173	227
number..	393 389	2 793	63 068	1 203	4 686	217	2 814
Cattle .....	farms..	5 484	309	341	1 289	53	683
number..	108 456	687	10 230	83	107	14	121
\$1,000..	107 131	207 188	3 522	504	1 864	150	883
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	164	309	248	846	52	405
number..	945	3 401	452	91	213	(D)	(D)
\$1,000..	597	2 386	169	61	157	(D)	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	500	16	443	36	29	122
number..	4 266	89	49	34 172	454	169	937
Farms with—							
1 to 24 .....		469	15	6	262	33	28
25 to 49 .....		14	1	—	82	2	1
50 to 99 .....		14	—	—	30	—	2
100 to 199 .....		1	—	—	35	—	1
200 to 499 .....		2	—	—	21	1	—
500 or more .....		—	—	13	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	197	3	3	362	14	9
number..	795	(D)	8	6 206	61	(D)	50
Other .....	farms..	456	16	397	34	27	211
number..	3 471	(D)	41	27 966	393	(D)	112
\$1,000..							726
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	246	6	456	12	10	41
number..	4 538	50	152	74 673	757	166	778
\$1,000..	410	4	16	5 934	66	21	72
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	49	2	—	86	3	9
number..	836	(D)	—	33 276	(D)	19	160
\$1,000..	24	(D)	—	1 300	(D)	1	5
Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	214	3	389	15	12	52
number..	808	12	(D)	9 258	65	(D)	169
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	186	3	355	12	9	44
number..	452	(D)	10	4 710	38	(D)	100
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	140	2	325	10	7	30
number..	356	(D)	3	4 548	27	(D)	69
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	133	2	27	15	68	42
number..	2 139	(D)	(D)	398	88	1 992	371
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	79	—	2	15	54	19
number..	819	—	(D)	233	54	965	103
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	73	1	2	4	58	14
number..	1 202	(D)	(D)	169	32	2 095	240
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	41	—	2	5	48	7
number..	686	—	(D)	(D)	43	1 135	75
pounds of wool..	4 507	—	(D)	(D)	327	5 506	353
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	3 061	78	66	102	107	94
number..	12 543	294	264	508	408	312	2 328
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	218	9	4	11	11	36 068
number..	461	17	7	18	34	(D)	1 376
Goats inventory .....	farms..	509	19	7	91	52	7 433
number..	6 867	141	(D)	1 095	810	220	172
Goats sold .....	farms..	201	8	3	32	27	1 200
number..	3 084	55	26	316	324	180	48
\$1,000..						8 080	400
<b>POULTRY</b>							
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	497	23	2	91	171	52
number..	105 144	(D)	(D)	2 658	12 447	902	153
Farms with—							
1 to 399 .....		493	23	2	91	79	52
400 to 3,199 .....		—	—	—	—	4	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		2	—	—	—	8	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		1	—	—	—	18	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	33	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		1	—	—	—	13	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	16	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	482	22	2	90	160	49
number..	23 131	370	(D)	2 415	11 534	946	145
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	89	2	—	20	42	885
number..	82 013	(D)	—	243	912 956	197	1 995
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	53	3	—	12	133	15
number..	165 638	51	(D)	272	7 975	639	39
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	11	3	1	282	4	6
number..	846	(D)	(D)	(D)	105 200	844	(D)
Farms with—							
1 to 1,999 .....		11	3	1	1	10	4
2,000 to 59,999 .....		—	—	—	—	9	6
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	22	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	2	—	241	—
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	57	2	—	22	23	18
number..	278	(D)	—	74	155	73	14
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	18	1	—	6	16	59
number..	269	(D)	—	21	321	1	1

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)				
							Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>										
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	389	106	4	6	368	64	48	256
acres..	69 623	24 614	7 353	23	251	25	718	5 725	3 436	16 557
bushels..	5 440 956	1 902 845	593 085	1 775	16 744	2 109	628	487 868	312 549	1 309 211
Irrigated .....	farms..	167	33	24	2	2	62	24	7	31
acres..	14 593	3 276	2 447	(D)	(D)	6 548	3 094	603		2 851
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		638	182	56	4	2	109	16	11	82
25 to 99 acres .....		404	128	30	—	3	163	26	26	111
100 to 249 acres .....		179	61	13	—	1	80	18	10	52
250 to 499 acres .....		36	13	4	—	—	14	3	1	10
500 acres or more .....		11	5	3	—	—	2	1	—	1
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	2	14	—	1	161	137	1	23
acres..	6 881	(D)	563	—	(D)	5 989	5 367	(D)	(D)	(D)
pounds..	16 191 980	(D)	1 207 107	—	(D)	14 145 746	12 813 832	(D)	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	—	8	—	1	4 821	4 327	—	494
acres..	5 559	—	446	—	(D)					
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	1	—	—	—	6	5	—	1
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	—	4	—	—	26	15	1	10
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	—	3	—	1	26	23	—	3
25.0 acres or more .....		102	1	7	—	—	89	80	—	9
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	141	20	—	1	190	5	39	146
acres..	41 021	15 536	1 911	—	(D)	19 528	267	3 914	15 347	352 390
bushels..	1 025 521	408 546	55 081	—	(D)	459 588	7 037	100 161	9	642
Irrigated .....	farms..	30	10	1	—	—	14	2	3	
acres..	2 317	944	(D)	—	—	977	(D)	(D)		
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		79	24	4	—	—	34	—	4	30
25 to 99 acres .....		184	67	9	—	—	83	5	17	61
100 to 249 acres .....		106	35	5	—	1	57	—	15	42
250 to 499 acres .....		25	11	1	—	—	12	—	2	10
500 acres or more .....		10	4	1	—	—	4	—	1	3
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	—	124	5	3	2	—	—	2
acres..	41 255	—	41 244	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
cwt..	8 815 285	—	8 813 743	240	60	60	(D)	—	—	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	116	—	105	5	2	1	—	—	1
acres..	39 690	—	39 680	4	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	—	22	5	3	1	—	—	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	—	11	—	—	1	—	—	1
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	—	22	—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		58	—	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	1	9	3	1	132	—	—	132
acres..	421 421	(D)	4 870	(D)	(D)	415 259	—	—	—	415 259
tons..	15 718 897	(D)	203 321	(D)	(D)	15 474 803	—	—	—	15 474 803
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	—	6	3	—	89	—	—	89
acres..	389 800	—	4 865	(D)	—	383 875	—	—	—	383 875
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	52	51	—	2	579	11	128	440
acres..	76 682	1 908	4 890	—	(D)	67 572	898	13 444	53 230	146 363 153
pounds..	209 914 666	4 298 704	14 484 883	—	(D)	185 886 170	2 563 239	36 959 778	6	10 523
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	2	10	—	2	89	6	13	70
acres..	15 184	(D)	932	—	(D)	13 740	834	2 383	—	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		254	30	25	—	2	161	6	24	131
25 to 99 acres .....		285	17	17	—	—	226	4	54	168
100 to 249 acres .....		144	5	6	—	—	128	—	39	89
250 to 499 acres .....		39	—	2	—	—	37	—	8	29
500 acres or more .....		28	—	1	—	—	27	1	3	23
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	4 798	85	135	201	90	1 324	30	28	1 266
acres..	265 985	5 576	10 447	11 007	2 841	80 347	2 001	1 001	77 345	
tons, dry..	697 410	14 880	21 376	23 144	5 926	238 622	5 001	2 641	230 980	
Irrigated .....	farms..	254	5	21	27	18	52	3	2	423
acres..	19 727	591	1 763	782	276	4 569	(D)	(D)	4 423	
Farms by acres harvested:										
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	47	53	114	57	574	11	15	548
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	25	55	52	22	541	12	10	519
100 to 249 acres .....		480	8	18	25	10	146	5	3	138
250 to 499 acres .....		127	3	7	8	1	48	2	—	46
500 acres or more .....		54	2	2	2	—	15	—	—	15
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	1 500	16	1 170	70	39	135	20	1	114
acres..	250 562	529	229 989	1 865	334	15 363	(D)	(D)	14 520	
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	8	806	65	34	82	16	—	66
acres..	221 516	498	204 220	1 738	220	12 920	468	—	—	12 452
Farms by acres harvested:										
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	6	278	20	22	32	2	—	30
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	5	340	29	14	36	7	1	28
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	2	234	17	3	43	9	—	34
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	3	127	3	—	18	2	—	16
250.0 acres or more .....		201	—	191	1	—	6	—	—	6

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (112112)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>							
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	273	7	13	47	35	4
acres..	5 775	5 101	1 326	2 047	2 213	9	16
bushels..	353 120	5 990	132 219	164 863	149 512	330	193
Irrigated .....	farms..	19	1	2	9	10	10 845
acres..	476	(D)	(D)	787	10	(D)	2
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		218	6	2	27	15	4
25 to 99 acres .....		43	1	7	13	13	13
100 to 249 acres .....		12	—	1	6	5	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	3	1	1	—
500 acres or more.....		—	—	—	—	1	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	—	—	—	1	7	—
acres..	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	270	—
pounds..	—	—	—	(D)	681 397	—	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	7	—
acres..	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		—	—	—	1	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	2	—
25.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	5	—
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	28	1	5	5	10	—
acres..	1 969	(D)	509	361	1 078	—	3
bushels..	55 616	(D)	9 020	4 536	31 296	—	26
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	—	2	2	636
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		13	1	—	—	—	—
25 to 99 acres .....		10	—	3	5	7	3
100 to 249 acres .....		4	—	2	—	2	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	1	—
500 acres or more.....		1	—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	2	—	—	2	2	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
cwt..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	2	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		2	—	—	2	2	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	3	—	2	1	—	—
acres..	3	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
tons..	100	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	2	—	—	—
acres..	—	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	43	2	6	11	3	—
acres..	1 513	(D)	381	337	45 085	—	1
pounds..	3 604 221	(D)	816 940	686 988	—	—	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	7	—	—	4	—	1
acres..	207	—	—	133	—	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		26	1	3	2	3	—
25 to 99 acres .....		13	1	2	9	—	1
100 to 249 acres .....		4	—	1	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more.....		—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	2 358	56	147	31	149	27
acres..	107 960	1 268	32 959	1 054	5 749	458	195
tons, dry..	243 351	2 616	110 211	2 897	22 031	1 009	6 319
Irrigated .....	farms..	81	3	32	4	3	11 347
acres..	4 629	14	6 496	217	(D)	(D)	7
Farms by acres harvested:							
1 to 24 acres .....		1 248	39	20	20	80	23
25 to 99 acres .....		850	15	52	8	55	144
100 to 249 acres .....		207	2	41	3	3	40
250 to 499 acres .....		38	—	18	—	12	7
500 acres or more.....		15	—	16	—	2	2
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	41	2	3	2	15	—
acres..	2 157	(D)	54	(D)	250	—	7
Irrigated .....	farms..	24	—	3	2	11	12
acres..	1 659	—	54	(D)	202	—	5
Farms by acres harvested:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		16	2	1	2	6	—
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		6	—	1	—	6	6
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	—	1	—	3	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		5	—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		3	—	—	—	—	—

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**Table 51. Summary by North American Industry Classification System: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Oilseed and grain farming (1111)	Vegetable and melon farming (1112)	Fruit and tree nut farming (1113)	Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114)	Other crop farming (1119)			
						Total	Tobacco farming (11191)	Cotton farming (11192)	Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.</b>									
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—Con.									
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	—	242	11	8	13	2	—
acres..	30 275	—	29 279	426	30	523	(D)	—	11 (D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	192	—	159	9	8	10	1	—
acres..	27 908	—	27 058	336	30	475	(D)	—	9 (D)
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	319	7	256	11	10	23	1	—
acres..	43 595	14	39 022	35	110	4 157	(D)	—	22 (D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	169	1	132	9	8	12	—	—
acres..	31 165	(D)	26 886	34	25	3 965	—	—	12 3 965
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	192	—	170	10	5	4	—	—
acres..	39 900	—	39 813	68	10	8	—	—	4 8
Irrigated .....	farms..	174	—	153	10	5	3	—	—
acres..	39 384	—	39 302	68	10	3	—	—	3 3
Land in orchards .....	farms..	9 379	26	136	7 922	375	167	2	6 (D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	981 910	198	9 700	918 831	5 111	31 383	(D)	159 31 345
acres..	6 650	14	87	5 895	280	67	1	—	66 (D)
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:									
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	farms..	2 300	15	53	1 597	217	83	1	3 79
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	farms..	3 770	9	46	3 249	122	59	1	3 55
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	farms..	2 167	2	20	2 002	24	16	—	— 16
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	farms..	574	—	6	534	10	2	—	2 2
250.0 acres or more .....	farms..	568	—	11	540	2	7	—	— 7
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	7 676	2	68	6 824	237	73	—	— 73
Bearing and nonbearing—acres..		959 364	(D)	8 793	902 202	3 883	30 593	—	— 30 593

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Item	Beef cattle ranching and farming (11211)	Cattle feedlots (11212)	Dairy cattle and milk production (11212)	Hog and pig farming (1122)	Poultry and egg production (1123)	Sheep and goat farming (1124)	Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125,1129)
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—Con.</b>							
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—Con.							
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	5	—	—	2	2	—
acres..	farms..	10	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	2	—	2	2	—	—
acres..	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	7	—	1	—	3	—
acres..	farms..	(D)	—	(D)	—	3	1
Irrigated .....	farms..	4	—	1	—	1	(D)
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	1
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	2
acres..	farms..	—	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	—	—	1	—	—	2
acres..	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Land in orchards .....	farms..	562	9	8	23	33	22
acres..	farms..	13 796	18	(D)	173	701	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	225	5	6	8	12	11
acres..	(D)	8 880	7	(D)	(D)	521	25
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:							
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		214	9	2	17	16	20
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		234	—	4	4	12	2
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		89	—	—	2	4	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		19	—	1	—	—	8
250.0 acres or more .....		6	—	1	—	1	2
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	364	4	8	12	20	9
Bearing and nonbearing .....	acres..	11 418	3	(D)	121	623	25
							55
							644

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.

**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	34 799	1 094	836	1 070	2 184	2 201
number..	100.0	3.1	2.4	3.1	6.3	6.3
percent..						
Land in farms .....	10 454 217	3 297 387	999 653	894 459	1 319 696	799 163
acres..	300	3 014	1 196	836	604	363
Average size of farm .....						
acres..						
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	34 799	1 094	836	1 070	2 184	2 201
farms..	6 004 554	4 335 110	578 643	371 944	340 716	154 282
\$1,000..	172 550	3 962 624	692 157	347 611	156 006	70 097
Average per farm .....						
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....	6 759	—	—	—	—	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....	4 771	—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....	4 405	—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4 122	—	—	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	3 560	—	—	—	—	1
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 012	—	—	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....	1 958	—	—	—	—	3
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....	847	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	2 188	—	—	—	7	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	2 188	—	—	11	2 177	2 181
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....	1 061	—	2	1 059	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	837	3	834	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....	657	657	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	232	232	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....	202	202	—	—	—	—
Grains.....	1 187	44	55	82	169	124
farms..	27 613	6 891	3 102	4 565	5 874	2 809
\$1,000..	133	19	18	38	39	19
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	17 307	6 370	2 424	3 732	3 573
Corn for grain .....	888	27	45	58	115	96
farms..	12 985	1 694	1 621	2 309	2 712	1 652
Wheat .....	185	7	16	26	51	28
farms..	\$1,000..	1 991	(D)	290	454	729
Soybeans.....	401	13	21	42	89	199
farms..	\$1,000..	6 798	457	1 037	1 394	2 031
Sorghum for grain .....	11	—	1	—	5	2
farms..	\$1,000..	116	(D)	—	19	(D)
Barley .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
farms..	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	57	1	3	8	13	7
farms..	\$1,000..	369	(D)	144	100	(D)
Other grains .....	84	13	6	12	16	7
farms..	\$1,000..	5 354	4 562	79	263	283
Cotton and cottonseed .....	342	17	34	71	97	45
farms..	\$1,000..	42 478	6 951	11 954	12 408	8 344
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	200	16	34	64	72
farms..	\$1,000..	39 438	(D)	11 954	12 172	7 523
Tobacco .....	186	6	15	42	52	28
farms..	\$1,000..	25 595	2 535	4 247	(D)	6 088
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	126	6	15	41	50
farms..	\$1,000..	24 528	2 535	4 247	(D)	906
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	2 233	57	51	75	159	167
farms..	\$1,000..	27 263	3 929	1 123	3 831	5 637
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	104	11	5	20	38
farms..	\$1,000..	13 518	3 308	554	3 281	4 358
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	1 497	211	108	118	182	174
farms..	\$1,000..	1 083 921	971 965	50 407	24 656	19 321
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	633	206	100	97	87
farms..	\$1,000..	1 070 203	971 796	50 169	24 239	18 240
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	7 584	347	195	323	703	773
farms..	\$1,000..	1 493 470	1 082 205	109 491	95 400	49 077
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	2 117	331	174	299	639
farms..	\$1,000..	1 429 633	1 081 933	109 129	95 059	96 401
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	5 121	327	268	347	709	610
farms..	\$1,000..	1 449 951	972 616	176 837	113 247	104 996
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	2 182	323	263	335	688
farms..	\$1,000..	1 407 414	972 537	176 768	112 995	104 644
Other crops .....	1 084	122	93	110	186	163
farms..	\$1,000..	666 971	588 113	37 568	17 648	14 230
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	449	118	85	91	35
farms..	\$1,000..	657 657	588 039	37 335	17 155	12 656
Poultry and poultry products.....	942	66	141	86	65	44
farms..	\$1,000..	348 000	209 149	95 276	29 716	10 474
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	385	66	141	85	29
farms..	\$1,000..	346 702	209 149	95 276	(D)	2 088
Dairy products .....	308	115	51	39	27	27
farms..	\$1,000..	382 431	329 766	33 037	12 638	4 313
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	250	114	50	39	27
farms..	\$1,000..	381 084	(D)	12 638	4 313	1 393
Cattle and calves .....	14 600	292	249	319	638	656
farms..	\$1,000..	301 660	100 863	35 180	30 177	40 907
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	\$1,000..	961	188	93	114	277
farms..	\$1,000..	215 179	98 843	33 096	26 948	36 168

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS</b>						
Farms .....	number..	2 829	4 658	4 264	4 559	5 063
	percent..	8.1	13.4	12.3	13.1	14.5
Land in farms .....	acres..	639 899	942 671	516 377	370 009	269 093
Average size of farm .....	acres..	226	202	121	81	53
<b>M MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>						
Total sales (see text) .....	farms..	2 829	4 658	4 264	4 559	5 063
	\$1,000..	98 392	72 080	28 908	15 320	7 710
Average per farm .....	dollars..	34 780	15 475	6 780	3 360	1 523
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$1,000 (see text) .....		3	44	96	193	379
\$1,000 to \$2,499 .....		1	8	14	64	4 684
\$2,500 to \$4,999 .....		1	14	88	4 302	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1	55	4 066	—	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....		8	3 551	—	—	—
\$20,000 to \$24,999 .....		26	986	—	—	—
\$25,000 to \$39,999 .....		1 955	—	—	—	—
\$40,000 to \$49,999 .....		834	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$250,000 to \$499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000,000 to \$2,499,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$2,500,000 to \$4,999,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
\$5,000,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Grains .....	farms..	152	200	142	89	91
	\$1,000..	2 110	1 383	542	193	119
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for grain .....	farms..	107	146	110	69	79
	\$1,000..	1 436	892	401	144	102
Wheat .....	farms..	15	23	13	5	1
	\$1,000..	63	64	18	(D)	(D)
Soybeans .....	farms..	54	63	31	13	8
	\$1,000..	544	385	95	32	(D)
Sorghum for grain .....	farms..	2	1	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Barley .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Oats .....	farms..	6	7	7	1	3
	\$1,000..	(D)	24	20	(D)	4
Other grains .....	farms..	10	8	5	5	1
	\$1,000..	41	(D)	9	(D)	(D)
Cotton and cottonseed .....	farms..	25	40	9	1	3
	\$1,000..	579	466	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	13	14	11	4	1
	\$1,000..	324	156	65	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Hay, silage, and field seeds .....	farms..	247	441	410	323	226
	\$1,000..	3 287	3 171	1 664	739	310
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons .....	farms..	180	243	153	75	40
	\$1,000..	5 002	3 230	874	250	51
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Fruits, nuts, and berries .....	farms..	1 014	1 322	855	801	646
	\$1,000..	32 070	18 851	5 299	2 586	989
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse crops .....	farms..	672	811	582	342	374
	\$1,000..	22 789	12 293	3 941	1 130	576
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	farms..	122	165	65	26	25
	\$1,000..	2 251	1 414	252	49	28
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products .....	farms..	43	61	81	108	128
	\$1,000..	609	307	142	101	74
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Dairy products .....	farms..	26	20	1	—	1
	\$1,000..	792	262	(D)	—	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Cattle and calves .....	farms..	936	2 047	2 223	2 675	3 014
	\$1,000..	18 590	23 602	12 935	8 431	4 713
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs .....	farms..	971	6	16	32	47
\$1,000..		7 997	253	(D)	1 343	729
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	25	2	5	11	5
\$1,000..		3 922	(D)	(D)	1 251	327
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms..	209	—	2	5	8
\$1,000..		288	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	1
\$1,000..		(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms..	3 287	39	48	60	196
\$1,000..		146 917	59 875	19 661	15 464	10 856
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms..	405	26	33	48	152
\$1,000..		126 258	59 795	19 598	15 415	10 214
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms..	1 954	38	16	41	74
\$1,000..		12 547	2 678	953	1 860	2 012
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms..	34 785	1 093	835	909	2 241
\$1,000..		4 384 423	3 084 007	432 549	228 897	258 353
Average per farm .....	dollars..	126 043	2 821 598	518 022	251 812	115 285
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms..	6 697	279	286	222	496
\$1,000..		145 770	86 675	22 645	8 300	9 897
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		4 655	20	25	41	107
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 298	41	31	75	252
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		498	50	175	89	134
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		151	92	43	13	—
\$250,000 or more .....		95	76	12	4	2
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms..	14 829	333	336	321	742
\$1,000..		446 861	293 322	81 841	22 087	15 914
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		12 068	37	36	87	222
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 724	34	39	63	322
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		490	41	52	87	169
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....		163	29	41	62	29
\$250,000 or more .....		384	192	168	22	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms..	8 725	270	293	235	483
\$1,000..		333 773	214 284	73 831	17 226	11 438
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		7 060	29	25	78	169
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		856	29	28	38	164
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....		341	28	53	51	124
\$100,000 or more .....		468	184	187	68	26
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms..	9 902	742	490	527	1 307
\$1,000..		217 919	161 999	21 488	11 730	12 869
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....		5 201	32	53	72	164
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....		2 235	74	80	95	479
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		1 462	165	148	220	506
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		409	86	73	80	145
\$50,000 or more .....		595	385	136	60	13
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms..	23 235	972	673	785	1 929
\$1,000..		347 559	237 907	23 803	18 530	24 684
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		17 517	77	138	170	574
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 971	137	180	328	1 087
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		784	125	183	190	216
\$50,000 or more .....		963	633	172	97	52
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms..	17 841	906	592	750	1 865
\$1,000..		350 556	258 022	23 456	17 252	20 640
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		13 342	85	141	207	784
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		2 913	121	152	286	844
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		647	94	108	164	212
\$50,000 or more .....		939	606	191	93	25
Petroleum products .....	farms..	29 619	1 082	818	875	2 114
\$1,000..		131 636	75 753	12 198	8 989	12 760
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....		25 775	68	153	301	1 161
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....		3 008	394	532	522	926
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....		459	273	115	42	26
\$50,000 or more .....		377	347	18	10	1
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms..	20 205	963	682	717	1 551
\$1,000..		50 229	28 082	4 369	3 094	4 750
Diesel fuel .....	farms..	21 549	959	730	735	1 732
\$1,000..		60 717	36 631	5 332	3 951	5 726
Natural gas .....	farms..	394	52	35	17	58
\$1,000..		2 120	1 509	228	64	116
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms..	18 420	1 047	789	827	2 017
\$1,000..		18 570	9 531	2 269	1 881	2 168

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD—Con.</b>						
Total sales (see text)—Con.						
Hogs and pigs .....	farms.. 75 \$1,000.. 944	154 1 014	181 599	183 376	174 183	95 (D)
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. — \$1,000.. —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	farms.. 17 \$1,000.. 34	24 39	40 55	31 23	45 29	35 11
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. — \$1,000.. —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Other livestock and livestock products (see text) .....	farms.. 331 \$1,000.. 9 010	539 5 893	517 2 493	568 1 429	536 632	261 99
Sales of \$50,000 or more .....	farms.. — \$1,000.. —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (see text) .....	farms.. 182 \$1,000.. 1 368	287 1 125	322 805	316 470	316 292	278 99
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
Total farm production expenses .....	farms.. 2 778 \$1,000.. 75 631	4 637 68 604	4 412 37 404	4 470 25 999	4 901 21 990	6 205 34 281
Average per farm .....	dollars.. 27 225	14 795	8 478	5 816	4 487	5 525
Livestock and poultry purchased .....	farms.. 535 \$1,000.. 3 159	1 062 4 299	795 1 821	816 1 442	959 1 182	782 2 030
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	346	785	695	772	920	732
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	176	267	100	43	39	45
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	13	9	—	1	—	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	—	1	—	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
Feed for livestock and poultry .....	farms.. 1 065 \$1,000.. 5 124	2 200 7 313	1 882 3 453	2 221 2 901	2 536 2 454	2 443 3 192
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	769	1 699	1 811	2 205	2 522	2 355
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	276	495	71	16	14	86
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	20	5	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$250,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Commercially mixed formula feeds .....	farms.. 662 \$1,000.. 2 684	1 122 2 758	1 044 1 511	1 244 1 266	1 496 1 122	1 376 1 826
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	518	943	1 009	1 230	1 489	1 338
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	127	179	35	14	7	36
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	17	—	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees .....	farms.. 1 078 \$1,000.. 1 956	1 319 1 459	1 080 643	863 276	790 190	735 135
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	566	828	895	841	769	729
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	429	457	175	22	21	5
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	83	33	10	—	—	1
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms.. 2 278 \$1,000.. 9 926	3 449 8 383	2 903 4 311	2 645 2 598	2 297 1 813	3 412 3 423
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 589	3 053	2 783	2 613	2 271	3 300
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	671	386	119	32	26	105
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	11	10	1	—	—	6
\$50,000 or more .....	7	—	—	—	—	1
Agricultural chemicals .....	farms.. 2 076 \$1,000.. 7 476	2 735 5 086	1 946 2 126	1 621 988	1 353 804	2 228 2 633
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 638	2 481	1 897	1 610	1 321	2 139
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	410	252	49	11	32	79
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	16	—	—	—	—	9
\$50,000 or more .....	12	2	—	—	—	1
Petroleum products .....	farms.. 2 475 \$1,000.. 4 094	4 031 4 070	3 965 2 620	3 978 1 897	4 093 1 457	4 091 1 978
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 268	3 977	3 962	3 976	4 091	4 086
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	207	52	3	2	2	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	2	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gasoline and gasohol .....	farms.. 1 634 \$1,000.. 1 690	2 665 1 898	2 746 1 328	2 641 931	2 388 714	2 765 1 106
Diesel fuel .....	farms.. 1 903 \$1,000.. 1 799	3 017 1 739	2 681 975	2 679 766	2 906 597	2 531 684
Natural gas .....	farms.. 27 \$1,000.. 37	48 24	24 9	47 22	22 3	27 12
LP gas, fuel oil, kerosene, motor oil, grease, etc. ....	farms.. 1 875 \$1,000.. 567	2 616 410	2 248 307	1 846 176	1 546 142	1 787 176

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	21 403 55 022	1 036 31 673	780 5 592	784 3 500	1 817 4 587	1 732 2 383
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	15 082	53	72	154	505	880
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	4 505	195	284	398	1 042	785
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 495	503	407	224	262	66
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	188	158	14	7	8	1
\$50,000 or more .....	133	127	3	1	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	12 199 925 607	1 046 702 683	757 90 733	821 50 445	1 847 51 722	1 260 13 974
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 503	15	38	48	245	526
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 381	28	73	155	747	602
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	1 880	105	302	463	822	130
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	719	284	246	152	33	2
\$250,000 or more .....	716	614	98	3	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	6 515 50 085	1 004 33 162	676 5 692	727 3 632	1 464 3 870	767 1 428
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	10 419 74 884	759 40 101	569 6 652	600 4 861	1 359 6 217	1 014 3 230
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 481 477 373	648 370 990	402 37 610	436 19 849	996 24 424	840 10 986
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 612	2	8	34	66	40
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 530	28	49	67	224	294
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 783	87	106	102	334	327
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	505	49	40	54	182	178
\$50,000 or more .....	1 051	482	199	179	190	1
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	24 621 195 760	1 065 117 478	807 16 444	826 11 154	1 998 15 994	1 850 7 327
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	19 490	36	128	223	825	1 310
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 877	229	437	513	1 092	530
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	603	247	180	73	71	8
\$50,000 or more .....	651	553	62	17	10	2
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 081 99 207	599 68 344	386 7 546	398 6 647	831 6 914	775 3 937
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	2 939	14	63	36	117	217
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	2 472	117	127	141	399	313
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 155	191	135	148	243	214
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	213	92	22	29	38	31
\$50,000 or more .....	302	185	39	44	34	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	10 162 237 536	967 163 147	709 22 775	605 12 896	1 182 12 835	995 6 281
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	5 749	84	128	127	473	589
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 119	196	287	301	598	390
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	931	373	256	169	109	16
\$100,000 or more .....	363	314	38	8	2	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	7 671 175 286	685 118 072	548 16 390	468 10 116	809 8 711	718 5 033
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	990	7	8	17	43	40
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	3 129	32	83	67	288	319
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	2 588	127	245	249	402	346
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	393	128	126	69	49	13
\$50,000 or more .....	571	391	86	66	27	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 034 62 250	561 45 075	388 6 385	265 2 779	572 4 124	436 1 248
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 360	20	45	38	80	157
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	1 412	76	99	87	250	200
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	848	200	167	105	207	78
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	210	102	47	25	35	1
\$50,000 or more .....	204	163	30	10	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	4 277 56 025	357 36 118	253 5 831	259 4 048	557 4 286	426 2 211
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	3 142	61	78	89	308	302
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	374	30	36	48	97	70
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	378	62	53	65	130	42
\$25,000 or more .....	383	204	86	57	22	12
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	32 866 136 457	1 009 69 965	784 8 334	849 6 218	2 130 9 913	2 171 7 201
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	29 394	194	388	473	1 502	1 759
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	1 817	145	156	205	398	290
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	1 007	233	155	123	210	102
\$25,000 or more .....	648	437	85	48	20	20
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	29 438 561 134	1 089 409 930	832 52 252	908 27 252	2 239 30 916	2 295 13 578
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	23 424	23	71	160	775	1 269
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	3 677	91	204	349	1 110	979
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	804	115	153	227	268	39
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	628	159	241	139	81	6
\$100,000 or more .....	905	701	163	33	5	2

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES<sup>1</sup></b>						
—Con.						
Total farm production expenses—Con.						
Electricity ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 954	3 133	2 818	2 477	2 330	2 542
	1 698	1 827	1 137	910	690	1 025
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	1 403	2 645	2 542	2 316	2 212	2 300
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	539	479	276	151	117	239
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	11	8	—	10	1	3
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	1	1	—	—	—	—
Hired farm labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 223	1 580	1 144	840	666	1 015
	7 450	4 230	2 022	694	494	1 158
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	742	1 319	1 087	838	654	991
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	450	256	49	—	12	9
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	31	3	7	2	—	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999 .....	—	1	1	—	—	—
\$250,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Workers by days worked:						
150 days or more ..... farms.. workers..	524	485	256	201	162	249
	710	634	298	207	162	290
Less than 150 days ..... farms.. workers..	1 061	1 473	1 110	820	650	1 004
	3 154	3 196	2 436	1 878	1 290	1 869
Contract labor ..... farms.. \$1,000..	1 117	941	693	589	282	537
	7 460	3 403	1 104	653	235	659
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	172	222	250	294	182	342
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	406	461	427	294	100	180
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	538	258	15	1	—	15
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	1	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Repair and maintenance ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 120	3 479	3 170	2 984	2 829	3 493
	5 819	6 134	4 555	3 564	2 721	4 570
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	1 745	3 248	2 999	2 887	2 746	3 343
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	360	228	170	97	83	138
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	14	1	1	—	—	8
\$50,000 or more .....	1	2	—	—	—	4
Customwork, machine hire, and rental of machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	829	1 051	685	569	426	532
	2 329	1 583	729	330	335	513
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	301	560	448	475	323	385
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	370	435	235	94	103	138
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	158	56	2	—	—	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest ..... farms.. \$1,000..	937	1 213	989	755	716	1 094
	4 411	4 050	3 368	1 896	2 566	3 311
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	622	919	753	625	515	914
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	308	293	236	130	201	179
\$25,000 to \$99,999 .....	7	1	—	—	—	1
\$100,000 or more .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	651	835	743	603	624	987
	3 537	3 180	2 944	1 763	2 460	3 079
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	83	208	154	135	96	199
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	326	370	367	338	327	612
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	235	256	222	130	201	175
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	7	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Not secured by real estate ..... farms.. \$1,000..	379	508	364	225	141	195
	874	869	425	132	107	233
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$999 .....	150	261	218	191	95	105
\$1,000 to \$4,999 .....	176	216	140	34	46	88
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	53	30	6	—	—	2
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—
Cash rent ..... farms.. \$1,000..	453	606	489	371	317	189
	1 005	1 189	536	448	213	140
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	416	528	486	369	317	188
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	32	57	3	—	—	1
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	5	20	—	1	—	—
\$25,000 or more .....	—	1	—	1	—	—
Property taxes ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 564	4 411	4 173	4 249	4 609	5 917
	5 383	7 225	5 534	4 733	4 818	7 132
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 340	4 203	4 047	4 192	4 517	5 779
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	154	167	84	39	88	91
\$10,000 to \$24,999 .....	56	32	42	12	3	39
\$25,000 or more .....	14	9	—	6	1	8
All other farm production expenses ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 778	4 604	3 692	3 324	3 381	4 296
	8 342	8 351	3 445	2 670	2 018	2 380
Farms with expenses of—						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	2 219	4 288	3 652	3 300	3 379	4 288
\$5,000 to \$24,999 .....	558	314	40	23	2	7
\$25,000 to \$49,999 .....	1	—	—	—	—	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	—	1	—	1	—	—
\$100,000 or more .....	—	1	—	—	—	—

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	number..	34 787	1 094	836	909	2 241
	\$1,000..	1 584 234	1 252 454	146 852	88 932	86 520
Average per farm .....	.dollars..	45 541	1 144 839	175 661	97 834	38 608
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	16 988	1 014	780	796	1 857
	.dollars..	103 827	1 273 386	198 629	122 700	53 309
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 482	—	1	8	11
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		6 660	4	12	23	131
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		4 337	24	79	122	847
\$50,000 or more .....		3 509	986	688	643	868
Farms with net losses .....	number..	17 799	80	56	113	384
	.dollars..	10 089	484 498	144 260	77 325	32 489
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		2 805	1	1	2	14
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		11 720	1	5	14	117
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		2 918	16	17	45	189
\$50,000 or more .....		356	62	33	52	64
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	farms..	2 921	87	88	142	247
	\$1,000..	11 074	1 350	758	1 380	1 477
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	4 773	169	134	158	416
	\$1,000..	44 430	11 052	2 740	3 097	7 601
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	1 382	37	24	36	124
	\$1,000..	17 039	2 616	1 304	820	4 588
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	1 422	39	22	33	94
	\$1,000..	10 962	2 850	396	791	1 108
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	739	19	14	19	52
	\$1,000..	9 654	3 466	379	653	773
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	1 780	111	95	107	206
	\$1,000..	6 774	2 119	661	833	1 131
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms..	118	2	7	13	26
	\$1,000..	1 936	(D)	893	345	477
Corn .....	farms..	62	1	4	4	12
	\$1,000..	138	(D)	(D)	(D)	37
Wheat .....	farms..	15	1	—	2	7
	\$1,000..	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	11
Soybeans .....	farms..	11	—	—	—	5
	\$1,000..	62	—	—	—	50
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	1	—	—	1	—
	\$1,000..	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Cotton .....	farms..	32	—	2	6	10
	\$1,000..	808	—	(D)	99	354
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
	\$1,000..	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	28	1	4	3	4
	\$1,000..	900	(D)	557	207	26
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	farms..	27 141	1 010	745	975	1 971
	acres..	3 639 850	1 624 835	234 249	262 892	315 675
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	21 017	989	693	938	1 893
	acres..	2 435 702	1 428 718	190 209	193 650	214 058
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....		15 917	187	264	349	840
50 to 99 acres .....		1 990	70	63	87	369
100 to 199 acres .....		1 223	79	58	158	325
200 to 499 acres .....		1 052	120	179	237	307
500 to 999 acres .....		458	211	95	90	48
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		203	161	27	13	2
2,000 acres or more .....		174	161	7	4	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	10 389	153	158	209	412
	acres..	895 684	66 596	30 022	53 207	78 089
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	777	20	20	31	38
	acres..	39 152	2 396	1 903	1 446	3 052
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	378	12	7	19	35
	acres..	14 457	2 452	1 206	1 282	2 151
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	240	14	13	10	17
	acres..	47 061	38 391	1 001	1 805	922
Idle .....	farms..	2 816	145	100	118	229
	acres..	207 794	86 282	9 908	11 502	17 403
Total woodland .....	farms..	8 885	224	207	267	469
	acres..	2 132 308	364 446	127 452	222 499	257 727
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	4 158	109	84	111	214
	acres..	1 091 166	205 425	63 224	153 794	156 151
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	6 029	160	150	202	321
	acres..	1 041 142	159 021	64 228	68 705	101 576

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>NET CASH RETURN FROM AGRICULTURAL SALES AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS FOR THE FARM UNIT (SEE TEXT)<sup>1</sup></b>						
All farms .....	number..	2 778	4 637	4 412	4 470	4 901
\$1,000..	dollars..	22 471	3 956	-6 160	-10 185	-13 872
Average per farm .....	dollars..	8 089	853	-1 396	-2 279	-2 831
Farms with net gains <sup>2</sup> .....	number..	2 095	2 965	2 397	1 817	1 229
Average net gain .....	dollars..	16 239	6 687	3 010	1 448	808
Gain of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		64	152	408	786	838
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		619	2 177	1 989	1 031	391
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		1 412	636	—	—	—
\$50,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Farms with net losses .....	number..	683	1 672	2 015	2 653	3 672
Average net loss .....	dollars..	16 911	9 493	6 637	4 831	4 048
Loss of—						
Less than \$1,000 .....		41	170	316	483	727
\$1,000 to \$9,999 .....		288	1 051	1 279	1 921	2 609
\$10,000 to \$49,999 .....		337	427	412	240	333
\$50,000 or more .....		17	24	8	9	3
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND OTHER FARM-RELATED INCOME</b>						
Government payments .....	farms..	243	433	415	413	503
\$1,000..		867	1 578	1 153	823	625
Other farm-related income <sup>1</sup> .....	farms..	385	676	606	652	466
\$1,000..		3 250	3 347	2 998	2 135	1 429
Customwork and other agricultural services .....	farms..	145	230	190	178	118
\$1,000..		1 870	1 616	1 212	568	193
Gross cash rent or share payments .....	farms..	84	198	188	231	159
\$1,000..		684	628	577	804	533
Forest products, excluding Christmas trees and maple products .....	farms..	40	81	123	82	132
\$1,000..		467	755	1 086	522	623
Other farm-related income sources .....	farms..	154	275	153	211	106
\$1,000..		229	349	123	242	80
<b>COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION LOANS</b>						
Total .....	farms..	9	25	6	4	5
\$1,000..		11	90	6	(D)	(Z)
Corn .....	farms..	5	11	5	3	4
\$1,000..		8	17	(D)	(Z)	(D)
Wheat .....	farms..	2	2	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	—	—
Soybeans .....	farms..	1	3	—	—	1
\$1,000..		(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Sorghum, barley, and oats .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Cotton .....	farms..	1	8	—	—	—
\$1,000..		(D)	5	—	—	—
Sunflower seed, flaxseed, safflower, canola, other rapeseed, and mustard seed .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,000..		—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts, rice, and tobacco .....	farms..	1	9	1	1	1
\$1,000..		(D)	55	(D)	(D)	(D)
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE</b>						
Total cropland .....	farms..	2 487	3 867	3 367	3 237	3 349
acres..		216 163	281 055	173 263	122 081	90 784
Harvested cropland .....	farms..	2 299	3 324	2 523	2 068	1 799
acres..		96 703	85 368	41 236	25 065	16 942
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 49 acres .....		1 682	2 814	2 373	2 005	1 761
50 to 99 acres .....		362	370	120	52	30
100 to 199 acres .....		189	116	26	10	8
200 to 499 acres .....		60	23	2	—	4
500 to 999 acres .....		6	1	2	1	—
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
2,000 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Cropland:						
Pasture or grazing only .....	farms..	687	1 369	1 551	1 696	1 866
acres..		103 543	164 979	112 222	83 489	61 220
In cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured .....	farms..	69	108	105	103	130
acres..		5 800	6 654	5 006	3 504	2 966
On which all crops failed .....	farms..	45	75	49	30	28
acres..		955	2 460	1 395	507	338
In cultivated summer fallow .....	farms..	18	43	30	28	23
acres..		368	1 411	1 022	412	348
Idle .....	farms..	245	394	335	308	347
acres..		8 794	20 183	12 382	9 104	8 970
Total woodland .....	farms..	663	1 283	1 262	1 294	1 448
acres..		157 593	271 369	190 191	112 608	89 590
Woodland pastured .....	farms..	305	605	616	639	665
acres..		74 475	124 853	90 385	44 487	33 001
Woodland not pastured .....	farms..	470	870	823	841	980
acres..		83 118	146 516	99 806	68 121	56 589

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$9,999
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms..	8 495	265	190	236	475	424
acres..	4 069 927	1 097 849	606 633	363 568	696 479	297 675
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms..	18 528	675	512	674	1 231	1 126
acres..	612 132	210 257	31 319	45 500	49 815	41 841
Irrigated land ..... farms..	12 673	894	567	749	1 454	1 334
acres..	1 862 404	1 345 539	127 814	104 201	110 922	62 747
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms..	12 202	885	561	745	1 428	1 311
acres..	1 729 449	1 272 414	118 546	98 958	97 470	49 422
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms..	745	36	19	16	52	53
acres..	132 955	73 125	9 268	5 243	13 452	13 325
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms..	1 624	21	35	42	91	80
acres..	125 878	1 857	2 737	6 343	8 526	15 043
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms..	34 787	1 094	836	909	2 241	2 304
\$1,000..	23 047 695	8 939 195	1 536 718	1 444 679	2 287 038	1 541 895
Average per farm ..... dollars..	662 538	8 171 111	1 838 180	1 589 306	1 020 543	669 225
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 241	2 711	1 537	1 707	1 740	1 906
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 .....	3 876	2	10	7	50	88
\$40,000 to \$69,999 .....	3 559	2	6	8	39	160
\$70,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 014	2	13	15	67	98
\$100,000 to \$149,999 .....	4 566	11	18	27	192	139
\$150,000 to \$199,999 .....	3 577	7	21	35	168	196
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	9 404	70	210	283	740	863
\$500,000 to \$999,999 .....	3 411	139	216	199	507	457
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 .....	1 611	229	153	185	204	186
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 .....	1 138	299	125	99	201	73
\$5,000,000 or more .....	631	333	64	51	73	44
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms..	34 786	1 094	836	909	2 241	2 304
\$1,000..	1 421 654	440 389	126 753	92 641	167 921	93 901
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 .....	6 239	11	19	14	95	183
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	7 040	20	34	44	160	272
\$10,000 to \$19,999 .....	7 275	32	56	90	256	416
\$20,000 to \$49,999 .....	8 371	155	173	239	704	765
\$50,000 to \$99,999 .....	3 203	189	197	208	553	418
\$100,000 to \$199,999 .....	1 683	216	181	194	351	220
\$200,000 to \$499,999 .....	685	263	137	100	99	30
\$500,000 or more .....	290	208	39	20	23	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms..	27 590	1 092	830	901	2 185	1 950
number..	54 030	9 993	3 514	2 883	5 900	3 641
Wheel tractors ..... farms..	28 305	995	745	787	1 831	1 712
number..	51 110	7 118	2 476	2 380	4 316	3 388
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	16 078	519	434	477	1 039	938
number..	20 900	1 536	846	822	1 596	1 264
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	16 943	763	520	554	1 202	1 214
number..	30 210	5 582	1 630	1 558	2 720	2 124
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms..	15 680	724	481	527	1 120	1 131
number..	25 210	4 275	1 206	1 173	2 154	1 694
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms..	3 067	300	178	192	347	358
number..	5 000	1 307	424	385	566	430
Grain and bean combines ..... farms..	648	32	36	63	112	54
number..	773	49	54	83	128	86
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms..	249	16	34	64	85	50
number..	325	29	48	75	107	66
Mower conditioners ..... farms..	5 327	108	89	99	319	349
number..	6 241	156	116	143	392	405
Pickup balers ..... farms..	2 056	73	66	70	188	182
number..	2 612	100	86	92	262	236
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms..	23 087	970	675	784	1 927	1 885
acres on which used..	2 939 310	1 572 379	236 610	199 698	265 050	163 858
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms..	10 714	813	492	626	1 471	1 284
acres on which used..	1 596 677	1 044 927	138 277	111 724	129 726	60 817
Nematodes in crops ..... farms..	2 128	267	137	154	355	285
acres on which used..	285 104	178 877	28 977	23 072	26 545	10 578
Diseases in crops and orchards..... farms..	7 246	599	364	462	1 030	956
acres on which used..	1 033 768	701 280	91 963	67 268	70 348	41 252
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture .....	10 491	671	439	526	1 263	1 148
acres on which used..	1 494 432	901 420	136 672	104 688	134 211	72 782
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms..	1 041	61	44	77	167	148
acres on which used..	116 751	37 319	15 597	23 798	20 204	8 664

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—Con.</b>						
Pastureland and rangeland other than cropland and woodland pastured..... farms.. acres..	558 232 937	1 068 325 607	1 013 125 055	1 253 102 129	1 420 62 023	1 593 159 972
Land in house lots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. .... farms.. acres..	1 371 33 206	2 432 64 640	2 263 27 868	2 354 33 191	2 676 26 696	3 214 47 799
Irrigated land ..... farms.. acres..	1 520 40 434	1 826 31 713	1 219 11 831	913 7 362	807 4 930	1 390 14 911
Harvested cropland irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	1 496 35 673	1 778 23 940	1 169 10 022	847 5 541	722 3 780	1 260 13 683
Pasture and other land irrigated ..... farms.. acres..	52 4 761	98 7 773	84 1 809	85 1 821	108 1 150	142 1 228
Land under Conservation Reserve or Wetlands Reserve Programs ..... farms.. acres..	101 13 962	236 24 823	258 21 011	292 17 310	411 13 817	57 449
<b>VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of land and buildings ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 778 1 207 940	4 637 1 812 962	4 412 1 161 977	4 470 1 045 791	4 901 938 166	6 205 1 131 332
Average per farm ..... dollars..	434 824	390 977	263 367	233 958	191 423	182 326
Average per acre ..... dollars..	2 004	2 058	2 461	2 761	3 525	2 708
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$39,999 ..... 164		458	525	632	868	1 072
\$40,000 to \$69,999 ..... 221		430	564	500	610	1 019
\$70,000 to \$99,999 ..... 186		415	342	597	579	700
\$100,000 to \$149,999 ..... 319		597	674	722	805	1 062
\$150,000 to \$199,999 ..... 306		518	479	548	570	729
\$200,000 to \$499,999 ..... 1 000		1 341	1 363	1 087	1 133	1 314
\$500,000 to \$999,999 ..... 366		491	313	242	274	207
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999 ..... 148		243	96	67	27	73
\$2,000,000 to \$4,999,999 ..... 46		120	47	72	33	23
\$5,000,000 or more ..... 22		24	9	3	2	6
<b>VALUE OF MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ..... farms.. \$1,000..	2 777 68 872	4 637 102 705	4 412 77 674	4 470 70 525	4 901 79 635	6 205 100 638
Farms by value group:						
\$1 to \$4,999 ..... 513		814	907	1 065	1 136	1 482
\$5,000 to \$9,999 ..... 525		891	1 088	1 147	1 320	1 539
\$10,000 to \$19,999 ..... 576		1 199	1 053	988	1 066	1 543
\$20,000 to \$49,999 ..... 704		1 199	1 040	1 067	1 087	1 238
\$50,000 to \$99,999 ..... 352		385	251	147	215	288
\$100,000 to \$199,999 ..... 97		128	61	52	77	106
\$200,000 to \$499,999 ..... 10		21	12	4	—	9
\$500,000 or more ..... —		—	—	—	—	—
<b>SELECTED MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT<sup>1</sup></b>						
Motortrucks, including pickups ..... farms.. number..	2 168 3 375	3 669 4 539	3 380 4 512	3 386 4 343	3 533 4 627	4 496 5 883
Wheel tractors ..... farms.. number..	2 195 3 652	3 748 5 854	3 591 5 132	3 748 4 957	4 056 5 473	4 897 6 364
Less than 40 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	1 157 1 490	1 926 2 360	1 979 2 318	2 121 2 357	2 469 2 911	3 019 3 400
40 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	1 461 2 162	2 465 3 494	2 182 2 814	2 075 2 600	2 085 2 562	2 422 2 964
40 to 99 horsepower (PTO) ..... farms.. number..	1 371 1 909	2 282 3 065	2 043 2 552	1 864 2 267	1 930 2 307	2 207 2 608
100 horsepower (PTO) or more ..... farms.. number..	206 253	369 429	240 262	314 333	224 255	339 356
Grain and bean combines ..... farms.. number..	56 68	120 121	54 61	55 56	35 36	31 31
Cotton pickers and strippers ..... farms.. number..	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —	— —
Mower conditioners ..... farms.. number..	379 470	864 1 001	731 832	738 852	736 846	915 1 028
Pickup balers ..... farms.. number..	212 284	360 486	312 379	275 314	148 167	170 206
<b>AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS<sup>1</sup></b>						
Commercial fertilizer ..... farms.. acres on which used..	2 240 130 623	3 427 153 243	2 884 81 020	2 620 53 017	2 273 34 720	3 402 49 092
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc., to control—						
Insects on hay and other crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 314 43 057	1 617 30 733	1 043 14 715	608 5 401	515 4 145	931 13 155
Nematodes in crops ..... farms.. acres on which used..	267 7 812	228 4 046	149 2 416	60 199	84 489	142 2 093
Diseases in crops and orchards ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 026 26 729	1 026 16 345	596 6 510	351 2 534	300 2 077	536 7 462
Weeds, grass, or brush in crops and pasture ..... farms.. acres on which used..	1 308 49 365	1 550 46 101	1 001 16 902	848 9 610	541 5 243	1 196 17 438
Chemicals used on crops to control growth, thin fruit, or defoliate ..... farms.. acres on which used..	117 3 193	141 4 062	71 1 743	30 233	48 171	137 1 767

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	34 799	1 094	836	1 070	2 184	2 201
Full owners .....	26 962	686	526	679	1 490	1 608
Part owners .....	5 492	278	225	283	501	380
Tenants .....	2 345	130	85	108	193	213
White .....	33 481	1 071	809	1 040	2 126	2 125
Full owners .....	26 043	673	514	659	1 455	1 564
Part owners .....	5 230	270	216	276	486	363
Tenants .....	2 208	128	79	105	185	198
Black and other races .....	1 318	23	27	30	58	76
Full owners .....	919	13	12	20	35	44
Part owners .....	262	8	9	7	15	17
Tenants .....	137	2	6	3	8	15
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned..... farms..	32 502	966	752	964	1 993	1 991
acres..	8 310 743	3 205 594	843 398	589 206	868 208	534 066
Owned land in farms .....	32 454	964	751	962	1 991	1 988
acres..	7 648 772	2 872 769	825 955	569 693	832 862	504 264
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	7 895	408	312	391	698
acres..	2 851 242	432 892	175 923	326 612	494 169	300 762
landlords..	15 172	1 291	833	1 052	1 799	1 228
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	7 837	408	310	391	694
acres..	2 805 445	424 618	173 698	324 766	486 834	294 899
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	2 406	85	50	63	141
acres..	707 768	341 099	19 668	21 359	42 681	35 665
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	21 333	286	378	462	1 007	1 096
Not on farm operated .....	10 106	610	344	431	892	828
Not reported .....	3 360	198	114	177	285	277
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	15 782	969	697	880	1 652	1 448
Other .....	19 017	125	139	190	532	753
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	14 054	775	578	690	1 300	1 108
Any .....	18 337	191	171	252	650	877
1 to 99 days .....	2 407	54	44	46	137	178
100 to 199 days .....	2 778	31	26	48	103	169
200 days or more .....	13 152	106	101	158	410	530
Not reported .....	2 408	128	87	128	234	216
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	1 924	29	26	41	99	110
3 or 4 years .....	2 802	45	45	54	111	153
5 to 9 years .....	5 431	124	99	131	335	335
10 years or more .....	18 327	619	502	617	1 238	1 255
Average years on present farm .....	17.3	19.6	19.0	18.5	18.3	18.4
Not reported .....	6 315	277	164	227	401	348
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	150	3	2	3	12	12
25 to 34 years .....	1 493	45	52	59	119	114
35 to 44 years .....	5 664	208	178	256	413	367
45 to 49 years .....	4 111	193	123	151	314	272
50 to 54 years .....	4 518	136	129	141	276	269
55 to 59 years .....	4 356	152	108	129	271	263
60 to 64 years .....	3 937	126	96	103	244	275
65 to 69 years .....	3 802	125	62	92	228	224
70 years and over .....	6 768	106	86	136	307	405
Average age .....	56.5	54.0	52.6	53.0	54.3	56.0
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	29 415	1 043	781	983	1 947	1 900
Female .....	5 384	51	55	87	237	301
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	1 060	37	36	37	83	94
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	27 173	253	334	498	1 188	1 371
acres..	4 473 744	417 741	228 537	420 578	570 954	502 728
Partnership .....	farms..	2 716	150	119	163	243
acres..	1 614 276	509 338	220 654	193 499	292 767	91 444
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms..	3 881	533	327	345	625
acres..	3 021 393	1 451 937	494 220	239 950	264 815	474
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	157	74	16	10	170 831
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	3 724	459	311	335	10
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	635	144	52	54	464
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	1 065 642	821 640	(D)	29 917	138 520
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	67	29	12	5	19 438
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	568	115	40	49	3
Other than family held .....	farms..	394	14	4	10	71
acres..	279 162	96 731	(D)	10 515	52 640	39

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>TENURE AND RACE OF OPERATOR</b>						
All operators .....	2 829	4 658	4 264	4 559	5 063	6 041
Full owners .....	2 064	3 428	3 289	3 606	4 234	5 352
Part owners .....	494	861	701	694	597	478
Tenants .....	271	369	274	259	232	211
White .....	2 737	4 488	4 080	4 351	4 849	5 805
Full owners .....	2 003	3 329	3 164	3 455	4 074	5 153
Part owners .....	476	818	658	659	561	447
Tenants .....	258	341	258	237	214	205
Black and other races .....	92	170	184	208	214	236
Full owners .....	61	99	125	151	160	199
Part owners .....	18	43	43	35	36	31
Tenants .....	13	28	16	22	18	6
<b>OWNED AND RENTED LAND</b>						
Land owned..... farms..	2 565	4 301	3 995	4 305	4 836	5 834
acres..	467 519	592 764	375 192	301 022	234 736	299 038
Owned land in farms .....	2 558	4 289	3 990	4 300	4 831	5 830
acres..	419 385	538 951	336 277	271 652	212 615	264 349
Land rented or leased from others .....	farms..	769	1 238	986	963	836
acres..	224 096	410 293	182 912	99 911	57 537	146 135
landlords..	1 503	2 200	1 576	1 466	1 258	966
Rented or leased land in farms .....	farms..	765	1 230	975	953	829
acres..	220 514	403 720	180 100	98 357	56 478	141 461
Land rented or leased to others .....	farms..	241	363	335	330	308
acres..	51 716	60 386	41 727	30 924	23 180	326
39 363						
<b>OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS</b>						
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated .....	1 478	2 753	2 837	3 134	3 666	4 236
Not on farm operated .....	1 080	1 476	1 088	1 055	1 002	1 300
Not reported .....	271	429	339	370	395	505
Operators by principal occupation:						
Farming .....	1 525	2 258	1 715	1 576	1 457	1 605
Other .....	1 304	2 400	2 549	2 983	3 606	4 436
Operators by days worked off farm:						
None .....	1 236	1 862	1 515	1 533	1 603	1 854
Any .....	1 391	2 475	2 468	2 768	3 193	3 901
1 to 99 days .....	210	353	314	327	344	400
100 to 199 days .....	216	399	411	385	439	551
200 days or more .....	965	1 723	1 743	2 056	2 410	2 950
Not reported .....	202	321	281	258	267	286
Operators by years on present farm:						
2 years or less .....	121	259	236	254	305	444
3 or 4 years .....	188	337	387	429	463	590
5 to 9 years .....	449	691	634	747	823	1 063
10 years or more .....	1 586	2 553	2 275	2 321	2 545	2 816
Average years on present farm .....	18.2	18.1	17.5	16.9	16.6	15.1
Not reported .....	485	818	732	808	927	1 128
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years .....	16	22	9	28	20	23
25 to 34 years .....	109	200	166	172	209	248
35 to 44 years .....	464	733	679	672	737	957
45 to 49 years .....	334	483	433	492	598	718
50 to 54 years .....	336	573	523	624	709	802
55 to 59 years .....	353	583	522	582	601	792
60 to 64 years .....	334	537	494	514	568	646
65 to 69 years .....	283	538	498	549	578	625
70 years and over .....	600	989	940	926	1 043	1 230
Average age .....	56.9	57.3	57.5	57.2	57.1	56.8
Operators by sex:						
Male .....	2 412	3 954	3 576	3 793	4 223	4 803
Female .....	417	704	688	766	840	1 238
Operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino origin (see text) .....	87	143	110	132	111	190
<b>FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>						
Individual or family (sole proprietorship)..... farms..	1 975	3 682	3 653	4 148	4 669	5 402
acres..	410 822	733 719	423 650	320 822	236 090	208 103
Partnership .....	farms..	309	430	323	222	282
acres..	102 647	85 651	54 438	24 289	14 878	24 671
Corporation:						
Family held .....	farms..	437	422	213	132	117
acres..	104 649	87 281	20 907	13 944	8 238	256
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	9	10	5	—	4
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	428	412	208	132	113
Other than family held .....	farms..	60	71	27	20	23
acres..	4 411	14 409	670	2 990	1 614	40 (D)
More than 10 stockholders .....	farms..	5	5	2	2	1
10 or less stockholders .....	farms..	55	66	25	18	22
Other—cooperative, estate or trust, institutional, etc. ....	farms..	48	53	48	37	52
acres..	17 370	21 611	16 712	7 964	8 273	61 (D)

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	199	20	6	10	10
number..	number..	238	28	6	13	10
Hired workers .....	farms..	588	289	87	60	33
number..	number..	1 531	1 074	141	102	41
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	1	—	—	—	1
number..	number..	(D)	—	—	—	(D)
Hired workers .....	farms..	6	2	—	1	—
number..	number..	6	(D)	—	(D)	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....		7 394	22	50	113	334
10 to 49 acres .....		12 750	140	200	216	462
50 to 69 acres .....		2 206	33	33	51	125
70 to 99 acres .....		2 388	36	54	51	168
100 to 139 acres .....		1 984	38	35	55	161
140 to 179 acres .....		1 354	32	44	59	112
180 to 219 acres .....		949	28	29	49	83
220 to 259 acres .....		671	16	29	47	57
260 to 499 acres .....		2 067	103	123	134	260
500 to 999 acres .....		1 390	176	104	132	166
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		802	196	53	73	105
2,000 acres or more .....		844	274	82	90	151
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		1 118	1	1	10	24
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		1 250	202	95	76	133
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		8 245	291	161	281	629
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		4 902	303	260	330	683
Other crop farming (1119) .....		2 137	67	60	133	239
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		137	1	5	34	43
Cotton farming (11192) .....		202	3	17	38	57
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		1 798	63	38	61	139
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		12 040	27	42	70	228
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		309	—	—	—	4
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		296	114	49	37	27
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		468	—	1	3	11
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		560	64	137	84	62
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		272	—	—	1	—
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		3 202	25	30	45	144
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	farms..	15 849	291	255	318	651
number..	number..	1 808 900	534 986	196 702	165 015	220 570
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		3 578	3	16	7	38
10 to 49 .....		7 493	17	57	53	117
50 to 99 .....		2 060	22	22	43	81
100 to 199 .....		1 190	32	24	44	114
200 to 499 .....		891	30	56	75	131
500 or more .....		637	187	80	96	170
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	13 930	280	240	306	606
number..	number..	1 162 686	348 346	127 543	106 960	145 377
Beef cows .....	farms..	13 600	188	199	272	584
number..	number..	1 003 072	216 683	112 213	99 238	142 981
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		4 552	7	14	15	50
10 to 49 .....		5 878	28	69	64	134
50 to 99 .....		1 448	27	20	40	80
100 to 199 .....		790	25	20	40	77
200 to 499 .....		599	32	21	44	138
500 or more .....		333	69	55	69	105
Milk cows .....	farms..	666	113	52	44	32
number..	number..	159 614	131 663	15 330	7 722	2 396
Farms with—						
1 to 4 .....		314	—	4	4	5
5 to 9 .....		57	—	—	1	1
10 to 49 .....		65	1	—	1	2
50 to 99 .....		31	—	1	4	19
100 to 199 .....		28	1	3	19	5
200 to 499 .....		73	19	40	13	1
500 or more .....		98	92	4	2	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	farms..	11 905	249	196	275	535
number..	number..	370 425	118 340	39 834	33 178	42 304
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	13 574	248	220	297	582
number..	number..	275 789	68 300	29 325	24 877	32 889
See footnotes at end of table.						

**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>INJURIES AND DEATHS</b>						
Farm-related injuries:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	10	18	24	33	22
number..		13	19	25	43	36
Hired workers .....	farms..	23	10	11	3	9
number..		30	14	17	4	14
Farm-related deaths:						
Operator and family members .....	farms..	—	—	—	—	—
number..		—	—	—	—	—
Hired workers .....	farms..	—	—	3	—	—
number..		—	—	(D)	—	—
<b>F FARMS BY SIZE</b>						
1 to 9 acres .....		494	922	940	1 032	1 214
10 to 49 acres .....		993	1 476	1 322	1 770	2 457
50 to 69 acres .....		196	246	327	378	357
70 to 99 acres .....		171	285	399	426	402
100 to 139 acres .....		164	309	350	315	246
140 to 179 acres .....		117	237	253	189	128
180 to 219 acres .....		68	187	166	125	85
220 to 259 acres .....		79	134	103	71	35
260 to 499 acres .....		249	474	229	148	86
500 to 999 acres .....		153	239	107	75	36
1,000 to 1,999 acres .....		95	91	45	22	15
2,000 acres or more .....		50	58	23	8	2
<b>F FARMS BY NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM</b>						
Oilseed and grain farming (1111) .....		64	125	160	226	392
Vegetable and melon farming (1112) .....		153	207	135	71	37
Fruit and tree nut farming (1113) .....		916	1 185	753	721	611
Greenhouse, nursery, and floriculture production (1114) .....		652	780	552	316	362
Other crop farming (1119) .....		198	368	303	245	207
Tobacco farming (11191) .....		9	12	10	4	1
Cotton farming (11192) .....		20	31	6	1	3
Sugarcane farming, hay farming, and all other crop farming (11193, 11194, 11199) .....		169	325	287	240	203
Beef cattle ranching and farming (112111) .....		500	1 487	1 830	2 355	2 790
Cattle feedlots (112112) .....		14	37	55	83	85
Dairy cattle and milk production (11212) .....		26	14	—	—	5
Hog and pig farming (1122) .....		26	55	77	105	109
Poultry and egg production (1123) .....		15	15	20	25	40
Sheep and goat farming (1124) .....		4	15	10	19	73
Animal aquaculture and other animal production (1125, 1129) .....		261	370	369	393	357
<b>LIVESTOCK</b>						
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	968	2 063	2 234	2 682	3 060	2 671
number..	123 722	173 778	98 476	73 999	51 475	26 888
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		91	144	201	365	897
10 to 49 .....		263	668	1 272	1 994	2 059
50 to 99 .....		171	626	604	284	91
100 to 199 .....		211	475	138	30	12
200 to 499 .....		211	138	18	9	1
500 or more .....		21	12	1	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved .....	farms..	893	1 910	2 023	2 376	2 608
number..	79 715	112 096	60 976	43 410	29 336	2 073
Beef cows .....	farms..	877	1 892	2 013	2 360	2 589
number..	79 271	111 856	60 819	43 204	29 132	2 028
Farms with—						
1 to 9 .....		106	214	315	693	1 443
10 to 49 .....		275	772	1 343	1 570	1 107
50 to 99 .....		167	593	305	77	37
100 to 199 .....		209	241	43	20	2
200 to 499 .....		114	70	7	—	—
500 or more .....		6	2	—	—	—
Milk cows .....	farms..	37	40	54	68	82
number..	444	240	157	206	204	107
Farms with—						
1 to 4 .....		10	21	42	52	71
5 to 9 .....		1	3	12	16	11
10 to 49 .....		26	16	—	—	—
50 to 99 .....		—	—	—	—	—
100 to 199 .....		—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499 .....		—	—	—	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Heifers and heifer calves..... farms..	761	1 623	1 711	2 050	2 179	1 800
number..	23 082	32 610	19 848	16 742	12 196	7 312
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	farms..	857	1 807	1 976	2 357	2 590
number..	20 925	29 072	17 652	13 847	9 943	5 932

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold						
farms..	14 600	292	249	319	638	656
number..	869 219	262 469	95 637	82 968	114 136	75 528
\$1,000..	301 660	100 863	35 180	30 177	40 907	25 348
Calves						
farms..	12 649	245	214	265	534	564
number..	572 171	140 814	64 522	52 252	72 467	54 424
\$1,000..	150 127	34 362	19 731	14 403	20 555	15 027
Cattle						
farms..	7 390	222	157	208	405	394
number..	297 048	121 655	31 115	30 716	41 669	21 104
\$1,000..	151 533	66 500	15 449	15 774	20 352	10 321
Fattened on grain and concentrates						
farms..	578	6	4	8	24	28
number..	5 922	641	63	134	1 353	1 090
\$1,000..	3 955	316	37	90	971	816
Hogs and pigs inventory						
farms..	1 431	8	12	20	37	54
number..	50 309	813	3 654	7 420	9 869	4 571
Farms with—						
1 to 24	1 118	4	6	9	12	21
25 to 49	132	—	3	2	1	10
50 to 99	80	—	—	2	5	9
100 to 199	53	2	—	1	9	4
200 to 499	33	2	2	1	2	9
500 or more	15	—	1	5	8	1
Used or to be used for breeding						
farms..	802	6	4	14	26	42
number..	9 062	224	380	1 091	2 117	775
Other						
farms..	1 303	7	12	20	36	48
number..	41 247	589	3 274	6 329	7 752	3 796
Hogs and pigs sold						
farms..	971	6	8	16	32	47
number..	96 512	2 486	(D)	15 280	29 058	9 207
\$1,000..	7 997	253	(D)	1 343	1 760	729
Feeder pigs						
farms..	189	—	2	3	9	10
number..	36 635	—	(D)	(D)	19 440	3 932
\$1,000..	1 394	—	(D)	(D)	690	164
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30	857	6	4	15	26	42
farms..	12 427	(D)	(D)	1 800	3 449	1 086
number..	766	6	4	15	26	41
Dec. 1 and May 31	6 389	(D)	(D)	909	1 719	532
farms..	651	5	4	11	25	39
number..	6 038	(D)	(D)	891	1 730	554
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory						
farms..	336	—	3	2	10	8
number..	5 722	—	(D)	(D)	387	671
Ewes 1 year old or older						
farms..	209	—	2	1	6	3
number..	2 512	—	(D)	(D)	272	(D)
Sheep and lambs sold						
farms..	187	—	2	2	5	7
number..	4 071	—	(D)	(D)	194	654
Sheep and lambs shorn						
farms..	121	—	2	1	4	3
number..	2 611	—	(D)	(D)	377	(D)
pounds of wool..	13 992	—	(D)	(D)	1 887	(D)
Horses and ponies inventory						
farms..	6 791	101	96	106	301	270
number..	54 878	3 351	1 590	1 833	3 660	3 429
Horses and ponies sold						
farms..	1 720	19	25	21	92	83
number..	8 235	871	404	305	1 704	740
Goats inventory						
farms..	1 287	2	8	8	20	13
number..	24 209	(D)	371	(D)	547	476
Goats sold						
farms..	574	1	5	3	6	3
number..	13 122	(D)	118	(D)	66	19
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older						
inventory (see text)	farms..	1 203	21	22	27	28
number..	12 605 047	10 533 838	(D)	(D)	370 915	198 717
Farms with—						
1 to 399	1 104	—	2	1	7	13
400 to 3,199	4	—	—	—	—	2
3,200 to 9,999	10	—	—	—	1	4
10,000 to 19,999	22	—	2	2	13	5
20,000 to 49,999	33	—	10	13	6	4
50,000 to 99,999	14	5	8	1	—	—
100,000 or more	16	16	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older						
farms..	1 157	20	20	16	22	25
number..	11 608 529	9 998 392	837 517	378 626	231 842	125 686
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old						
farms..	237	5	2	2	7	6
number..	996 518	535 446	(D)	(D)	139 073	73 031
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text)						
farms..	267	19	21	22	26	14
number..	8 180 675	4 079 461	1 887 345	1 123 681	805 661	206 689
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold						
farms..	321	42	121	63	37	10
number..	105 967 210	35 540 289	50 768 513	14 429 746	3 835 453	1 050 705
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999	45	—	—	—	—	2
2,000 to 59,999	10	—	—	—	2	4
60,000 to 99,999	22	—	—	—	19	3
100,000 or more	244	42	121	63	16	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding						
farms..	165	—	—	—	3	3
number..	732	—	—	—	(D)	(D)
Turkeys sold						
farms..	52	—	—	—	2	1
number..	783	—	—	—	(D)	(D)

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>LIVESTOCK—Con.</b>						
Cattle and calves sold .....	farms..	936	2 047	2 223	2 675	3 014
number..	60 722	79 415	45 442	30 678	18 030	4 194
\$1,000..	18 590	23 602	12 935	8 431	4 713	914
Calves .....	farms..	809	1 809	2 004	2 359	2 605
number..	45 296	62 385	36 666	24 809	14 887	1 241
\$1,000..	11 556	15 840	8 918	5 729	3 327	678
Cattle .....	farms..	567	1 119	1 180	1 389	1 305
number..	15 426	17 030	8 776	5 869	3 143	444
\$1,000..	7 035	7 762	4 016	2 702	1 386	545
Fattened on grain and concentrates .....	farms..	45	80	112	130	120
number..	735	742	534	407	202	21
\$1,000..	474	499	347	264	129	12
Hogs and pigs inventory .....	farms..	91	176	230	265	248
number..	5 484	7 016	4 427	3 178	2 346	290
Farms with—						
1 to 24 .....		49	107	179	224	225
25 to 49 .....		7	21	28	35	18
50 to 99 .....		14	26	14	4	5
100 to 199 .....		12	15	8	2	—
200 to 499 .....		9	7	1	—	—
500 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Used or to be used for breeding .....	farms..	58	111	140	157	124
number..	866	1 067	914	693	501	434
Other .....	farms..	87	157	207	231	229
number..	4 618	5 949	3 513	2 485	1 845	1 097
Hogs and pigs sold .....	farms..	75	154	181	183	174
number..	9 634	10 698	6 741	4 096	2 087	95
\$1,000..	944	1 014	599	376	183	(D)
Feeder pigs .....	farms..	11	15	34	35	38
number..	1 079	2 092	2 140	910	554	308
\$1,000..	40	76	75	30	19	9
Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
Dec. 1 of preceding year and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	60	119	147	173	137
number..	1 447	1 263	1 008	664	455	128
Dec. 1 and May 31 .....	farms..	59	107	137	141	125
number..	747	677	531	325	284	105
June 1 and Nov. 30 .....	farms..	51	97	121	138	90
number..	700	586	477	339	171	70
Sheep and lambs of all ages inventory .....	farms..	24	37	55	47	65
number..	357	678	1 299	514	866	85
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	farms..	18	22	33	34	43
number..	172	237	536	302	419	47
Sheep and lambs sold .....	farms..	17	24	38	27	37
number..	474	577	909	332	552	283
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	farms..	8	10	19	18	29
number..	131	258	451	341	453	364
pounds of wool..	626	1 264	2 113	2 345	2 286	1 978
Horses and ponies inventory .....	farms..	414	834	849	982	1 007
number..	4 039	6 498	5 378	5 516	4 442	1 831
Horses and ponies sold .....	farms..	145	300	317	357	277
number..	813	1 219	865	755	453	84
Goats inventory .....	farms..	60	115	163	204	294
number..	2 074	2 380	2 246	2 750	4 767	400
Goats sold .....	farms..	30	62	79	98	157
number..	1 399	1 864	1 513	1 321	2 278	130
<b>POULTRY</b>						
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text) .....	farms..	47	84	138	205	238
number..	(D)	2 198	3 757	7 180	4 899	376
Farms with—						
1 to 399 .....		42	84	137	204	238
400 to 3,199 .....		—	—	1	1	—
3,200 to 9,999 .....		5	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Layers 20 weeks old and older .....	farms..	44	79	135	201	232
number..	15 066	2 014	3 209	6 389	4 284	363
Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old .....	farms..	9	20	27	40	41
number..	(D)	184	548	791	615	78
number..	—	—	—	—	1 126	—
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold (see text) .....	farms..	10	20	14	34	40
number..	31 115	(D)	3 455	(D)	1 093	47
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold .....	farms..	6	7	5	8	11
number..	42 267	(D)	523	469	858	(D)
Farms with—						
1 to 1,999 .....		3	6	5	8	11
2,000 to 59,999 .....		3	1	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999 .....		—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more .....		—	—	—	—	1
Turkey hens kept for breeding .....	farms..	8	12	26	31	34
number..	19	69	137	149	92	48
Turkeys sold .....	farms..	4	4	10	9	4
number..	44	(D)	50	95	23	190

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	1 268	35	48	75	133
acres..	69 623	7 892	7 111	11 185	12 785	117
bushels..	5 440 956	782 247	629 453	900 430	1 051 760	9 302
Irrigated .....	farms..	167	17	20	23	21
acres..	14 593	3 889	2 642	2 429	3 111	700 906
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		638	1	6	6	18
25 to 99 acres .....		404	11	17	23	62
100 to 249 acres .....		179	13	13	36	29
250 to 499 acres .....		36	5	11	7	45
500 acres or more .....		11	5	1	3	6
Tobacco .....	farms..	186	6	15	42	52
acres..	6 881	689	1 148	2 814	1 489	28
pounds..	16 191 980	1 626 317	2 719 924	6 749 991	3 744 373	517
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	6	14	33	38
acres..	5 559	689	1 083	2 225	1 113	964 780
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		3	—	—	—	—
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		7	—	—	—	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		8	—	—	—	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		4	—	—	—	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		30	—	—	—	—
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		32	—	2	1	1
25.0 acres or more .....		102	6	13	41	14
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	404	13	21	42	89
acres..	41 021	2 363	6 092	8 101	11 861	66
bushels..	1 025 521	65 919	154 237	206 459	304 208	4 947
Irrigated .....	farms..	30	1	5	5	8
acres..	2 317	(D)	360	425	726	126 732
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		79	—	—	2	5
25 to 99 acres .....		184	4	5	13	11
100 to 249 acres .....		106	6	8	18	37
250 to 499 acres .....		25	1	6	5	32
500 acres or more .....		10	2	2	4	23
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	140	45	25	9	13
acres..	41 255	30 078	8 305	1 878	461	347
cwt..	8 815 285	6 351 344	1 908 222	370 788	97 363	48 302
Irrigated .....	farms..	116	44	25	8	7
acres..	39 690	29 558	7 514	1 738	403	304
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		37	—	—	—	1
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		12	—	—	—	4
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		11	—	1	—	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		22	4	9	5	1
250.0 acres or more .....		58	41	15	7	4
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	152	58	12	12	16
acres..	421 421	406 063	7 577	3 576	2 952	13
tons..	15 718 897	15 192 916	257 195	125 708	97 558	670
Irrigated .....	farms..	100	50	10	11	13
acres..	389 800	377 541	6 255	3 306	2 200	23 031
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	750	18	51	84	154
acres..	76 682	14 831	17 069	15 372	15 372	134
pounds..	209 914 666	47 566 285	50 491 253	40 130 910	40 566 077	7 253
Irrigated .....	farms..	115	6	17	19	32
acres..	15 184	4 595	4 445	2 086	2 395	21
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		254	1	2	2	12
25 to 99 acres .....		285	2	5	23	73
100 to 249 acres .....		144	1	12	40	87
250 to 499 acres .....		39	5	19	14	67
500 acres or more .....		28	9	13	5	19
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) .....	farms..	4 798	147	128	163	300
acres..	265 985	41 344	11 766	24 870	34 722	335
tons, dry..	697 410	121 094	40 289	72 312	104 991	29 736
Irrigated .....	farms..	254	38	14	16	35
acres..	19 727	9 026	1 069	1 074	3 511	81 568
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		2 419	14	35	36	64
25 to 99 acres .....		1 718	39	56	58	81
100 to 249 acres .....		480	44	25	41	146
250 to 499 acres .....		127	28	8	14	87
500 acres or more .....		54	22	4	14	29
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) .....	farms..	1 500	211	108	118	182
acres..	250 562	198 582	19 414	11 020	11 030	174
Irrigated .....	farms..	1 040	200	94	92	4 504
acres..	221 516	181 653	17 127	8 246	8 483	121
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		391	1	2	6	20
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		438	5	7	18	73
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		314	12	32	38	78
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		156	29	34	52	102
250.0 acres or more .....		201	164	33	4	36

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	\$25,000 to \$49,999	\$10,000 to \$24,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$1,000 to \$2,499	Less than \$1,000
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED</b>						
Corn for grain or seed .....	farms..	138	210	168	128	121
acres..	8 308	6 493	3 199	1 483	1 310	555
bushels..	612 616	410 995	198 236	81 300	52 039	20 974
Irrigated .....	farms..	14	10	5	5	6
acres..	807	271	39	5	35	10
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		43	107	117	117	95
25 to 99 acres .....		63	91	50	11	8
100 to 249 acres .....		30	12	1	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		2	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco .....	farms..	13	14	11	4	1
acres..	124	67	25	(D)	(D)	—
pounds..	205 917	134 418	38 983	(D)	(D)	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	4	3	—	—	—
acres..	30	25	—	—	—	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 0.9 acres .....		—	1	1	—	1
1.0 to 1.9 acres .....		—	1	5	1	—
2.0 to 2.9 acres .....		—	3	3	2	—
3.0 to 4.9 acres .....		—	3	—	1	—
5.0 to 9.9 acres .....		9	4	2	—	—
10.0 to 24.9 acres .....		3	2	—	—	—
25.0 acres or more .....		1	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans .....	farms..	54	63	32	14	8
acres..	3 711	2 665	814	360	(D)	(D)
bushels..	85 532	60 549	15 375	4 997	(D)	(D)
Irrigated .....	farms..	1	1	—	—	—
acres..	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		5	21	17	8	8
25 to 99 acres .....		35	37	15	6	2
100 to 249 acres .....		14	5	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Potatoes, excluding sweetpotatoes .....	farms..	12	7	8	7	4
acres..	155	11	9	4	(D)	(D)
cwt..	33 823	2 416	1 485	350	(D)	4
Irrigated .....	farms..	8	3	7	2	—
acres..	153	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	(D)
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		4	6	7	7	4
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		7	1	1	—	4
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		1	—	—	—	—
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Sugarcane for sugar .....	farms..	12	9	8	5	2
acres..	384	147	32	10	(D)	(D)
tons..	15 525	5 312	1 052	342	(D)	—
Irrigated .....	farms..	9	1	2	1	—
acres..	278	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
Peanuts for nuts .....	farms..	97	137	46	14	10
acres..	3 208	2 899	482	128	36	5
pounds..	6 742 619	5 089 933	802 847	136 352	59 133	32
Irrigated .....	farms..	9	3	6	2	—
acres..	443	(D)	34	—	(D)	—
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		42	98	41	13	10
25 to 99 acres .....		52	37	5	1	5
100 to 249 acres .....		3	2	—	—	—
250 to 499 acres .....		—	—	—	—	—
500 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ....	farms..	450	880	832	707	526
acres..	36 178	37 590	22 272	14 392	8 478	330
tons, dry..	88 502	92 942	50 432	25 921	14 099	4 637
Irrigated .....	farms..	19	39	25	19	5 260
acres..	1 953	1 409	343	332	12	17
Farms by acres harvested:						
1 to 24 acres .....		105	350	487	529	424
25 to 99 acres .....		219	458	325	169	98
100 to 249 acres .....		105	63	19	8	34
250 to 499 acres .....		18	9	1	—	4
500 acres or more .....		3	—	—	1	1
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) ....	farms..	180	243	153	75	40
acres..	3 191	1 990	545	160	74	16
Irrigated .....	farms..	111	122	84	44	53
acres..	1 750	813	257	66	21	6
Farms by acres harvested:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		27	89	118	69	38
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		110	145	34	2	14
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		42	8	1	—	1
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		1	1	—	—	—
250.0 acres or more .....		—	—	—	—	—

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**Table 52. Summary by Combined Government Payments and Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1997—Con.**

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Item	All farms	\$1,000,000 or more	\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$100,000 to \$249,999	\$50,000 to \$99,999
<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>						
Con.						
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—						
Con.						
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms..	283	44	30	13	25
acres..	30 275	21 795	5 733	883	1 109	315
Irrigated .....	farms..	192	40	27	12	18
acres..	27 908	20 503	5 338	774	808	240
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms..	319	46	8	8	23
acres..	43 595	40 761	1 631	108	343	29
Irrigated .....	farms..	169	42	6	5	17
acres..	31 165	29 209	1 391	100	253	14
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms..	192	77	17	17	15
acres..	39 900	37 889	929	616	355	14
Irrigated .....	farms..	174	76	15	17	13
acres..	39 384	37 439	883	616	345	67
Land in orchards.....	farms..	9 379	327	187	309	693
acres..	981 910	623 943	69 000	63 851	72 737	782
Irrigated .....	farms..	6 650	317	169	280	596
acres..	895 071	594 004	62 329	60 482	63 050	42 881
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....		2 300	6	9	10	20
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....		3 770	13	12	22	52
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....		2 167	13	13	33	338
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....		574	9	28	144	544
250.0 acres or more .....		568	286	125	100	45
All citrus fruit .....	farms..	7 676	319	175	283	650
Bearing and nonbearing—acres..	959 364	622 232	67 628	62 829	70 610	40 505

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<b>SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED—</b>						
Con.						
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text)—						
Con.						
Snap beans harvested for sale .....	farms.. 34	57	29	18	10	2
acres.. 206	172	40	9	(D)	(D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. 23	27	17	9	6	1
acres.. 120	92	20	6	(D)	(D)	
Sweet corn harvested for sale .....	farms.. 40	85	44	23	10	3
acres.. 166	252	56	14	(D)	(D)	
Irrigated .....	farms.. 20	29	19	10	5	2
acres.. 69	63	21	6	(D)	(D)	
Tomatoes harvested for sale .....	farms.. 13	24	7	8	—	—
acres.. 18	22	1	2	—	—	
Irrigated .....	farms.. 12	16	6	7	—	—
acres.. 18	14	1	1	—	—	
Land in orchards.....	farms.. 1 047	1 361	922	866	760	2 125
Irrigated .....	acres.. 33 909	27 257	11 948	7 729	5 717	22 938
farms.. 867	995	625	529	433	1 167	
acres.. 28 130	19 608	8 511	4 756	3 205	13 576	
Farms by bearing and nonbearing acres:						
0.1 to 4.9 acres .....	64	151	257	370	402	974
5.0 to 24.9 acres .....	442	868	560	432	321	932
25.0 to 99.9 acres .....	507	324	98	62	35	200
100.0 to 249.9 acres .....	33	15	5	2	2	19
250.0 acres or more.....	1	3	2	—	—	—
All citrus fruit .....	farms.. 957	1 181	747	654	531	1 466
Bearing and nonbearing...acres.. 32 255	25 118	10 410	6 204	4 148	4 148	17 426

<sup>1</sup>Data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup>Farms with total production expenses equal to government payments and market value of agricultural products sold are included as farms with gains of less than \$1,000.